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THE chime, the chime of the Christmas time, mging a sweet toned melody! The tone, the tone gs back to my own les heart, a dream of rhapsody.

Walked down by the river of life with m e clasped our hands on the beaten sho advowed that our hearts should forevermore Be one through eternity,

My bride, my bride, By the river's side, We launched our boat, and it sped away; Thy face, thy face With radiant grace, Wore roses, and lilies in bloom that day The sky above us was bright and fair: The river of life flowed peacefully on; We knelt us down with unbounded love, And prayed that God, our Father above. Would guide us in safety home.
Alas! alas!

For the days that pass, They bring no myrtle in bloom for me; Alone! alone! apoli ! My beautiful one, ent home in angel of God to be

o Heaven my white-winged dove hath, flo To the jasper city, with streets of gold; My angel, my love, my life, my light, To the chastening rod,

That scourgeth me sorely at thy command Oh, grief! Oh, grief! It is blest reliate.

That some is dealt by a loying hand;

For the bruised read then wilt never break,

Teach me to pray till, the summons come. And I place my feet on the shining shore

My Father thy will be down ! here was OFESTORY TELLER

THE INLAID HARP.

THE AUTHOR OF "THE SECOND LIPE," ETC.

ADDRESS.

IT PARK PLACE, NEW "Or Bonny Dundee," another of them em, and on some evenings sing, too, in cracked voice, a verse of "Shepherds, re you seen my love?" or "Jessie the

ince. I sang just to let the children what the old ditties were like, of rse; yet, even in my own false quaver, they used to seem full of a wonderful usic to me, as if the voices from whom used to hear them, spoke to me through them from that far-off country where

he possessed, for treason, came at last to

It was an exquisite piece of workman

ship, the stock inlaid with flowers in

Florentine mosaic, and, more rare and

costly, two delicate miniature paintings

on a black ground of Venus Aphrokite.

I remember the swe-struck wonder with

which I used to stand by my mother as

she played, when I was a child, tracing

out the fairy, rose-tinted limbs growing

into shape, as it were, out of the spray

of the green waves, and then turning to watch the stately old lady, whose gray

head kept time to the measure which her

eweled wrinkled hands brought forth.

One was as fine a picture to me as the

other. Almost as far off, too my mother

was always a stranger to her children. When she died, the harp came to me

the doom of public auction.

There was hardly an evening that this id not happen grandmother must play for them before she went to bed. Now course, I knew it was no real pleasure them to hear the jingle of the old harp ud the old songs. My daughter in law s an accomplished musician, people d, and so were the girls, Nelly and

They sang opera music (to the secret of my poor old cars) they had and criticised all the great prima as of the time; and so I suppose slyn Water" and "Bonny Dundee," en I sang them, sounded like the ratby broken castinets to them. But a word of this to me-no, not a wordher med to stand about inc, listening entirely hintil I struck the last note. be at which we all laughed. The girls

TOW DELICAN AT ALL TIMES, AND UNDER ALL CIRCUMSTANCES."

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the old habit of playing the air as accom- his passion for speculation but I don't Sartain, Schumacher, Stamps, Stanton,

paniment and singing the alte; and, after know. I am sure James was one of the Stevens, Stinson, Tatman, Thompson,

fire, and bring the stand, with my Bible, in close to it, for me to have a hour's poor remnant of our wealth which James quiet before sleeping. I suppose, as I left to our only boy, the father of Nelly said, my music was no real pleasure to and Agnes, and the dear lad John, I had them, yet, somehow, it brightened the no share in it. My dower was gone long whole day for me, and brought back an ago; and my husband in his will gave to echo of the old times, as it were; and I his "son, as the most precious of all legused to fancy their young, sweet faces acies, the care of his mother; preferring never looked happier than when they to leave her dependent upon him, that in had given the old woman this daily, silly her old age, as in her youth, she might pleasure.

Sitting alone before my fire, with the loved and loving woman. People said Bible on my knee, I used to live over my it would have been better if James had life, as all old people do, perhaps, with settled a few hundred pounds upon me, this difference, I think, that I never had instead of a bit of sentiment; but that grown old. Singing those merry tilts, sentence was worth more than wealth to my heart was as young as either of the both my boy and me. We were very girls beside me, and as full of jests and happy together; and when he married, laughter. My white hair, when I went Mary made much of me, and put me, in to the glass, never ceased to strike me a manner, in the center of their home, as with a new surprise, as did the then though I had, indeed, been a gift in treble of my voice in singing. It used which she was proud to own her shareto ring out in another fashion once! Still there is no denying that if I had The untimely youthfulness of feeling, I had any legal right to a maintenance

ple grow different and wiser in heart as have been saved. Unfortunately it was their limbs fail and hair whitens. But not. I'm sure I do not understand how it when I would be reverend as my mother went. No one was in fault. My son was was with all the crown of her long life fond of speculating, like his father; and, upon her head. (John and the girls as I said, that seems a very proper line seem to regard me with just that affect of business to me; but I suppose there tionate awe which I had for her, but with- were sharpers about. I am very certain out reason, it seems to n.e.) I am a neither James nor his boy were to blame

believe, is peculiar to me; other old peo- from my son's property, some of it would

round, chubby mother-bunch of a little Then came hard days and nights. My woman, with a good deal of pink in the son and Mary kept it secret from me as wrinkled cheeks over which hang the best they could-but I saw, though I said white curls. My mother was a picture, nothing; only the old harp stood silent with her tall, spare figure, severe face and then for many a day, We came to this silvery hair, done up under a thin, Quak- manufacturing town of the west, my son er cap, with a bow of white satin ribbon going before to prepare a home for us, on top. She walked with a slight bend, comfortable as was in his power. Much (which was the fashion of her youth,) of the old farniture was saved; and that, and a stately, slow movement. The with Mary's skillful hands and plotting heavy silks she wore, the high-heeled, head, gave to our new dwelling an air of pointed shoes, the diamonds on her mxury, which the pinched fare in the wrinkled fingers, belonged to her by na- kitchen and pantry did not sustain. But we worked together to keep up my boy's The old harp, of which I have a curi- heart-his losses told on him. From a ons story to tell you, was given to her ruddy, portly man, he grew in one winter on her bridal morning. It was one of sallow, stooped, dyspetic; then came the the first brought across "the mountains," morning. Had I not learned the signs which being accepted by the mover, the as we called the Alleghanies, and was long ago? He did what he could for us; resolution, as amended, was adopted not the least of the rich gifts which cal- bought a scholarship for John in a neigh- under a suspension of the rules. led out the envy of our poor neighbors, boring cellege, and insured his life for

For the La Pierres, my mother's family, Mary's benefit in the common and delider traders and raw, half-cultured people who her, "make them fit to support themselves, filled the country town where she lived if needs must; and as for mother, I will Her father had a drop of vagabond blood leave her to you and the children, as she in him, and wandered out West, but his was left to me. I think God's blessing family never suffered him to cut loose all goes with her. In the worst day's herold, Words Rosin Wester grandro Vies between them; and when his eldest cheerful face has been like sunshine to daughter was married, tokens of kinship, me.'

and affection came to her, both from Mary told this tome, long after he was and experience of gone, very tenderly. "It was true, impleton, as I was, I would play for the La Pierres had settled, and from mother," she said. That touched me France, where the original stock had more than even my boy's words, for Mary not naturally tender. She was quick-eyed, Most precious of all, perhaps, this kind, hard-sensed woman. It needed all poor, old ricketty hat, a thing of wonder her quickness and capacity to keep us were her, I think, than any I have heard romantic story harvest and the story have also a short during the few years that followed. been the property of some Austrian no- and the rates of living increased year by ble, and being confiscated, with all that year.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TIRST SESSION

OF THE SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

Thirty-First Day's Proceedings. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES New Orleans, February 6, 1871. The House met pursuant to adjourn-

Speaker Carter in the chair. The roll was called and the following

nembers answered to their names: with all the property left by both father Messrs, Carter, Abell, Adolphe, An and mother My brother Robert was dead, and I was in consequence sole heir toine, Baker, Barker, Barrett, Barrow, to the two large estates. How did they Bentley, Bickham, Blunt, Brewster, go? I hardly know. I was to blame more Broussard, Brown, Bryan, Buchinghan tile John, my grandson, would always in the squandering than the world Burch, Butler, Curr, Cachere, Cochran down his paper, chapping his hands, thought, I am sure. I liked ease, en-Crawford, Darby, Darinsburg, Davidson, blaring Encore Encore when I had joyed the dainty pleasures with which my Davis, Demas, Dewees, Durio, Ellis, joyed the dainty pleasures with which my Davis, Demas, Dewees, Durio, Ellis, husband surrounded me the books, the Faulkner, Floyd, Fontelieu, Gaddis, John never showed the same courte-pictures, the house filled constantly with Gardner, Garstkamp, W. Harper, Hempto them, which was very true. He was guests. I enjoyed them so much that I stead, Huston, Hyans, Kearson, Kenner, cable, during the present session of the hars a queer, old-fashioned boy, and never held out a hand to check him, or Killen, Kinsella, La Saljuiere, Laurent, with old people, and to humor uttered a warning ward. It is true that Llambias, H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Mahoney, After I had done, Mary, my when the crash came, he was generous Marie, Marvir, Matthews, McFarland,

a little chat, I would close the piano, and most discreet men living and business Tounoir, Tureaud, Ullman, Verrett, one of the girls and their mother would of that kind is something of which wo washington, of Concordia, Washi ters, E. Williams, H. Williams, Wilson-Worrall, Young, Young 89: 10:11 for an A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain

Upon motion of Mr. Garstkamp, of Jefferson, the reading of the journal was G. Llorens. dispensed with, and it was approved.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS. Mr. Faulkner, of Caldwell, presented a petitions of the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of the State of Louisians, which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Brewster called up the following

Resolved. That hereafter no resolution shall be introduced into this House except on Tuesdays and Saturdays, and that two-thirds vote be considered necessary to rescind this resolution.

Mr. Yorke, of Carroll, offered the following resolution, which was read and adoped, under a suspension of the rules;

Resolved, That the Committee on Railroads be and it is hereby instructed to investigate, and report to the House, on the sale of the interest of the State, and of the City, in the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad; and, in order that said investigation may be com-

Be it further resolved. That said committee be authorized to call for persons and papers, and to compel the attendance

Mr. Bowen, of Orleans, offered the following resolution:

Recoived, That with a view to expedite the necessary legislation already accumulated on the calendar of this House, this body shall be hearafter required, during the remainder of the session of 1871, to hold two daily sessions. The morning session to commence at twelve o'clock, M., and the evening session at seven o'elock P. M.

Mr. Garstkamp, of Jefferson, moved to amend by striking out the word "elenen" and inserting the word "twelve;

Mr. H. Lott, of Rapides, offered the lowing resolution, which lies over under

WHEREAS, It is understood that William H. Finnegan, Assisstant Clerk of this House, has been removed by the Speaker without cause or complaint; therefore be

Resolved, That this House do now pro ceed to elect an Assisstant Clerk, according to the practice heretofore in vogue and in conformity with act 21 of the ses-

sion of 1868.

Mr. Brown, of Ascension, offered the ollowing resolution, which lies over under the rules:

Resolved. That the report of the Comnittee on Ways and Means, dated New Orleans, January 28, 1871, and recommending the passage of the House bill No. 11, which is entitled an act to reimburse certain taxes illegally imposed and collected under act No. 55, approved April 4, 1865, be and the same is hereby eferred back to said committee of the

Mr. Otto, of Orleans, called up the following resolution, which was read and laid upon the table on motion of Mr. Davidson, of Livingston.

Resolved, That a special committee of

three be appointed by the Speaker to inrestigate the cause of the sudden, and rapid rise of the rates and prices of coal in the city of New Orleans; the short and unjust measures and weights used in the ale of coal in small quantities to the poorer classes; the unlawful combinations force for the regulation and control of o'clock, P. M.: the market price of coal, and all else applicable to the purpose of said investiga tion, including what necessary legislation is required as a sound public policy, for the better protection of the poorer clases, in this essential article of household Legislature.

GENTLEMEN-I am directed to request concurrence in the following entitled Senate bills viz-

Senate bill No. 21, to locate the sent of ustice of the parish of Plaquemines, etc. Senate bill No. 87, to increase the salary of the Reporter of the Supreme

Senate bill No. 67, for the relief of F. CHARLES H. MERRITT.

Secretary of the Senate. Mr. Kenner, of Orleans, called up the following resolution, which was read: Resolved, That the proceedings of the House be published in the New Orleans Standard, and that the expense of the same be paid out of the contingent

Mr. Bryan, of Calcasien, offered the folowing substitute: veil court

Resolved, That the proceedings of the House be published in the New Orleans Standard and Weekly Echo, of Lake Charles, Louisiana, and that the expenses of the same be paid out of the contingent fund

Upon its adoption the year and navs were called for by Messrs. Harry Lott, of Rapides, and Young, of Concordia, with the following result: negative roize

Yeas: Adolphe, Antoine, Barrett, Belot, Bentley, Blunt, Bryan, Buchanan, Burch, Carr, Cochran, Crawford, Dariusburg, Davidson, Demas, Faulkner, Gaddis Gardner, W. Harper, Hempstead, Keurson, Kenner, La Saliniere, Laurent, H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Lynch, Mahoney, Marie, McCarty, Morphy, Murry, Ong-Quinn Raby, Riley, Ringgold, Sartain, Stamps, Stanton, Tounoir, Verrett, Washing, of Concordia, Waters, Wheyland, E. Williams, H. Williams, Wilson, Yorke

Nays: Baker, Barker, Barrow, Bickham. Bowen, Brewster Broussard, Brown, Buckingham, Butler, Darby, Dewees, Durio, Ellis, Floyd, Fontelieu, Garstkamp, P. Harper, Houston, Hyams, Johnson, Killen, Marvin, McFarland, Meadows, Moncure, Morris, Otto, Overton, Pond Schumacher, Smith, Stevens, Stinson Tatman, Tureaud, Ullman, Wands, Young 39. polost a to whenty a direct

And the resolution was adopted. Mr. Yorke, of Carroll, moved a reconsideration of the vote just taken, and also npon the table, which was carried.

read, and inpon motion of Mr. Waters of Orleans, referred to the Committee on Elections and Qualifications:

Resolved, That the contestant from Richland parish, Mr. J. L. Stephens, be entitled to receive mileage and per dicm up to the time of his withdrawal, and that the Warrant Clerk be authorized to issue warrant for the same as in the cases of other contestants. He for work

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES. The Committee on Elections and Quali-

fications, through its chairman, submitted the following report, which was read received and accepted, and further time granted:

To the Honorable Speaker and Members, of the House of Representatives !

Your Committe on Elections and Qualifications, to whom was recommitted the case of Frank Alexander vs. Benjamin whole, for reconsideration and report, Buchanan, beg to report progress, and ask that further time be granted, as they have not yet received the balance of the testimony of contestee.

Respectfully submitted,

F. C. ANTOINE, Chairman. Mr. Bryan, of Calcasien, submitted the

following minority report of the Committee on Internal Improvements, relative to House bill No. 16, an act to incorporate the Bayou Rapides Navigation Company. which was read, received, accepted and its consideration made the cpecial order and monopolies that are existing and in of the day for Wednesday next, at one

COMMITTEE ON INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS, New Orleans, February 6, 1871.

To the Honomble Speaker and Members of the

A majority of the Committee on Inter nal Improvements on the third day of comfort and necessity; and that the said February, made a report in favor of the committee shall have power to take testi- bill entitled an act to incorporate the mony and summary process, to send for persons and papers, and shall report, by bill or otherwise, to the House, if practiaid to said company. While I concur the object, I differ totally with the [Mr. Moncure, of Caddo, in the chair.] majority as to the means by which the The Secretary of the Senate was an result is to be arrived at. I know that The I had done, Mary, my when the crash came, he was generous Marie, Mary, matthews, meaning message:

| twenty-five years ago large sums of the money were appropriated to remove the money appropriated

obstructions from the falls of Red river . and the statutes of the State show that a charter was granted to a company to construct a canal that would secure the free navigation of the river as Portland canal avoids the falls of the Ohio, and I agree with the report of the majority that a large sum of money was expended by this company and that some of these works were destroyed by General Banks under the plea of military necessity. I deny that the Legislature of this State is in any manner bound to make good the devastation created by the order of any military officer of the United States. The recognition of such a principal will establish a precedent which will make the State of Louisiana responsible for all losses in the State of Louisiana which ave resulted from such orders. If the works of this canal have been injured by the order of a United States general. apon the groud of a military, neces it is the duty of the company to apply to the government of the United States compensate them for the loss and lamage they have sustained. This report proposes not to ask aid from the tate, nor to increase its burdens. They only ask for the bonds of the State to the amount of \$700,000, or \$14,000 a mile. when so many of miles they are to receive these bonds for is a bayou that needs no improvement. All this is not to embarrass the State, nor is the ninety-eight thousand dollars of interest which the State is to be taxed with to be considered any burden to the people of the State. This principle of taxing the State for interest for bonds loaned to advance the interest of individual or corporate purposes is as unjust to the State as the burdens of taxation which it inflicts are ruinous to the tax-payers. What right has this Legislature to tax the common people of the State of Louisiana to build up the fortune of a few persons who are incorporated into a company, who are to make overgrown fortunes out of and by the privileges conferred upon them, by the employment of the bonds of the State, furnished to this company to enable them to tax the agriculture and commerce of the State, to make their individual fortunes? The argument of virgin soil of the forest which is to be made accessible by this outlay is certainly very eloquent, and if tropes and figures of speech could satisfy the people for taxing them for individual purposes this report might win. I consider the proposal to mortgage five millions of dollars worth of property to insure the payment of these bonds one of the moon tories, for the simple reason that they can borrow the money from the capitalists of the country upon much better terms then they can sell the bonds of the State, if they have million dollars worth moved to lay the motion to reconsider of property to mortgage. For these reasons I am opposed to the passage of Mr. Mahoney, of Plaquemines, called this bill, and tender these my views to up the following resolution, which was the House as full justification of my

J. W. BRYAN. The Committee on Banks and Banking. brough its chairman, submitted the following eport, which was read, received and accepted. and the bill ordered to be engrossed :

Committee on Banks and Bankino, New Orleans, February 6, 1871.

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the

Your Committee on Banks and Banking have the honor to report favorably upon and recommend the passage of House bill No. 20, entitled an act to regulate loans.

P. HARPER, Chairman.

The Committee on Parochial Affairs submitted the following report, which was read, re-

ceived, and accepted: To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives :

Your Committee on Parochial Affairs, having sidered House bill No. 56, beg leave to re port unfavorably thereon, and recommend that it be referred to the Police Jury of the parish of

O. H. HEMPSTEAD,

C. Q. BUTLER. H. J. HYAMS

H. C. TOURNOIR D. CADY STANTON. The Committee on Corporations, through its hairman, submitted the following report, which was received, accepted and agreed to, and the bills reported were ordered to be engrossed: To the Honorabie Speaker and Members of the

House of Representatives:
Your standing Committee on Corporations, having had for consideration House bill No. 107, to incorporate the Sons of Emmet Benevolent Association of the city of New Orleans House bill No. 122, an act entitled an act to

incorporate the Morning Sinr Benevolent Association of the parish of Assension.

Beg leave to report favorably thereon, and recommend their passage.

HARRY LOTF, Chairman.

The Committee on Claims, through its chair-nan, submitted the following report, which was ad, received and accepted:
the Honomble Speaker and Members of the

on Claims to return to the House House bill No. 103, and House bill No. 100, acts for the relief William W. D.Coin and Theodore Monette and ask that they be referred to the Com on Registration.

And also, the memorial of Alfred Delarodire

nd ask that it be referred to the Commi Tam also instructed to report favorably on

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THE STATE AUDITOR.

Yesterday evening's papers contained the news that this officer had refused to audit certain claims against the State. They are those of James O. Nixon, late State Printer and Attorney General Belden. It will be remembered that the two Bills appropriating large sums of money to these gentlemen, passed the Houses and were refused signature by the Governor, and that the Legislature passed them both by a two-thirds affirm tive vote. And they are now Laws. The owners of these claims with remarkable promptness have presented them for audit and been refused according to the Picamere, with this statement from the auditor that he "should refuse to pay all chims against the State accruing from the acts of the last Legislature, except those necessary for the State Government.

Concerning the claims against the State not embraced within its current expenses, he should require the decision of the highest tribinal of the State before he would attempt to pay them, as he was in doubt concerning what might be considered the actual State debt, though he is of opinion that it has already exceeded the constitutional limitation by several millions of dollars.

"The following is Mr. Graham's estimat in rough of the State debt present and eventual, up to the 1st of January, 1871, a de tailed list of which will be published here-

Miscellancons indebtedness ... 867,533 96 Outstanding Warrants 1,300,311 81 Outstanding Certificates of In-

Obligations of the State to issue

Since the above was in type, Mr. Graham

informs us that the obligations of the State to the New Orleans, Baton Rouge and Vicks burg Railroad, estimated in the above as \$1,000,000, is, as first ascertained from its officers, \$6,250,000, increasing the outstanding obligations above enumerated \$5,250,. 000, and increasing the grand total to over \$40,000,000.

Mr. Graham states that he was acting in this matter not only upon his authority. but by and with the advice of the Governor of the State, and that though it was not his province to go behind the acts of the Legisature in passing upon the legitimacy of claims allowed by it, he had determined to be guided only in the mode of payment by the opinion of the final court of arbitrament the Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana.

He wants that court to settle, beyond queshas not, been reached."

certainly smacks of an overflow of paternal solicitude for the welfare of the poor State of Louisiana. But then the esty and what not; but notwithstanding tent with the condition of keeping his true constitutional Status of the State it took well, and the joke was well played ship going on. Precisely so the ship of Additor, is well defined, and we out, even to the awarding of expensive have racked our brain in vain to discover decorations commemorative of the prizes. any authority for the refusal to audit the We love rational enjoyment and approve warrants in question. "On his own au- any effort to improve the general tone thority and the authority of the Gover-and therefore we endorse the efforts of ployment during the hours of Sunday.

Secondly Recreation, Under this here. the Legislature until the Supreme Court lieve belongs the credit of originating and shall decide, and thus he a ministerial carrying out the plan. The Hall has been officer constitutes himself judge of the constitutionality of enactments. A man- indefatigable in their exertions to dispose damus has been taken in the Nixon case of the articles on their nicely supplied and the Auditor will be called on, on tables. March 8, to show cause why a peremptory mandamus should not iss will look with anxiety for the opinion of aid of the First Baptist New Church on Judge Dibble on the alleged reasons for Common street, and we believe there will a refusal to perform a clerical Act.

The Legislature just adjourned may have done wrong in passing the acts in question, they may have increased the debt of the Stute beyond the Constitutional limitation, but it does not appear to us that the State Auditor is authorized to give preference to certain claims, and to refuse others.

repeal the Militia act, the Registration ct, the Enabling act, and to amend the Printing act. This is enough for once we thought, and we derived some consola-tion by remembering that he said he "dill not expect the resolution would be adopted, but he simply wishe I that he and his Democratic friends should go upon record as opposed to these acts." All very good Mr. Posey, keep up your record, and such like you, make such records Sixors Corr. 10 this country understand you and your party, in all your wishes and intentions,

THE LICENSE SYSTEM.

when they undertake to advocate seriously the abolition of all licenses. We can be supported. We have heard much but, in the case of the Sabbath, it may the odiousness of the system, but from ations was foreseen to be so liable to will abuse it. We go hand in hand with America. The sanctions remain the same; reform in the Licensing system, and of observance vary. With regard to these some connexion between the amount of obligations clustering about the day, it is license and the Revenue of the Licensed surely not necessary, in a Christian cominflicted, while many of those callings, regard to the question of observance, knowing ones will through their vigilance under two heads. in representation, escape the contribution | First, Employment. It is well under they aught to bear to the support of the stood that "works of necessity," as they Local Government. But this is no have been called, may be pursued on argument against the system of taxation. Sunday, but it is not so well understood There is also another consideration in how the progress of society modifies the the assessment of licenses, there should list of these works. The good deacon of be some correspondence between the the rural districts rightly enough thinks these occasions, the whole city scenned ratified the conditions of peace, which payment to the City, for the protection at no harm to harness his house to ride to to have pouned its denizens along the the Bordeaux Assembly has accepted. afforded by its Police, its Courts, its church. But when he sells his horse and route of the Fremem, who with well Thus far the work is completed which surveillance, and the amount of protection other rural possessions, and moves to the which a certain avocation may require in city, he refucts at the idea of riding in miles of the city road, affor lines an to- be edrieved. the interest of society, the City to the street cars and carrying on secular portunity to beholdes to look at their fine . Thanks to the ferror, devotion endur afford. For instance, there are more business by the payment of six cents, engines, horses, dresses, and all the at- ance of our incomparable army, and the appliances demanded from the City in He forgets that the new mode of conveyconnexion with a Barroom, or a Brothel, ance has only taken the place of his old than with a grocery, or a Brokers office one, and that all its features are merely through were very narrow, but still our enterprise and by his mercy has per-And yet the chances are that in conse- incidental to the change. If he is shocked anxious spectators would crowd and press mitted an honorable peace. To him be quence of the neglect of observing this at the number of men and animals em- into them, and we are glad to observe the honor-to the Fatherland thanks. fact, while prominence may have been ployed, he has only to remember that, in that the Pelice in company with the pro-293.655 62 given to some minor considerations, the carrying the same number of persons to cession, performed their trying work of peaceful avocation has contributed more church, the country way of doing it would keeping the crowd back, with much dis- Mallon and Tridon have resigned their than the one who habitually deals in and horses, and them. These are really the matters more time than the city way. The deathat deserve and demand attention. ocon's wife, also, has been accustomed to

tion, where do you propose to raise the and baked beans smoking hot out of the revenue from to carry on a city govern- oven. But in the city there are whole ment? Or do you propose to have no streets without any oven, in other words city government? Say they, why they the oven is at the baker's. In order, might as well as be abolished, because therefore, to have the same breakfast, an they are not half col'ected. Why, be- amount of Sunday work has to be done, cause "they are not half collected," is the which was never thought of when it was reason why they are so high now, and hidden in the bosoms of a hundred septhe argument furnished from this is, that arate families. These illustrations, home they all ought to be collected and then ly as they are, answer for most of those they would only require to be half as instances which distinguish Sunday em high as they are.

Last night closed the week's entertainment at the National Hall. The premiums won the five nights previous were tion, what is the actual debt of the State, awarded to the respective ladies and genand whether the constitutional limit has, or tlemen, to their delight, and to the evident chargin of some disappointed ones. Now this may be all very fine, and We have been very much amused at the novelty of combining a Fair with a stated he takes special pains to exact the least exhibition of beauty and dress, and mod-amount of work from his hands consistastefully fitted up, and the ladies been

We understand the prime object of the entertainment to be to obtain funds in be tolerably good "net proceeds" to be turned over.

of the reasons why Messrs, Schenck, Fish, means steps to his well-filled library and and Hoar were appointed, by President Grant, members of the Joint High Com- man must resort to the public library, or man took a contract to dig a public well. that he always speaks very civilly of atmission, to sit at Washington on the Alato give preference to certain claims, and bama Claims, is that they can hold their poor men perhaps six care nothing about down, he came one morning and found tongues. The President, who is remark—books, three ardently desire access to it caved in nearly filled to the top. Pat they have been the butter The writer ably gifted with the faculty of keeping them, and the remaining three would looked cautiously around, and saw that

preach in the morning, and Profes Twiney, of New Haven, Conn., in evening. "Whosoever will, let his

THE SUNDAY QUESTION.

and therefore we would not chose a text; A Section of the City Press is in for man, and not man for the Sabbuth," danger of fulling into a garve error, have such seminal force, they so unfold, comprehend, and define the whole subject, that it is impossible to resist their have been looking to see what good citation at the outset. We may suppose, reasons, and on what grounds, on what indeed, that all other institutions, whethprinciple of any sort of known or er of devine appointment or not were unknown Economy, this Utopian cheme adjusted to man's wants, and character; grandiloguent and wordy denunciation, be well presumed that the power of anve have read many accusations against thority, of tradition, of religious associno quarter have we discovered more warp the just uses of the day that the pausible pretexts than these; first, licenses words we have quoted were put on reare too high, and second, they ought to cord as a permanent touchstone of all be abolished because they are not half true observance. The Sandsy of every collected; neither of which can endure community was to be that dictated by its the test of an argument, any more than own conditions, and not that of the Jews, you could advocate abstinence from the of the early Christians, of Luther and use of a thing because some people Calvin, nor of the Pilgrim Fathers of that section of the Press, which advocates the benefits are the same; the details which contends that there should be sanctions and the whole circle of moral party. There is no doubt that under the munity, to say anything further; nor is recent mode of fixing the amount of a there any need of dwelling upon its ethiicense, much that is wrong must be cal, social, and sanitary benefits. With which are fallowed by keen sighted, what we have to say will naturally fall

We pant for enlightment on the ques- take her Sunday morning brown bread ployment in the city from that in the country. The principle is, that the conditions of society having changed, the formal observance of the day must change accordingly, otherwise man would have been made for the Sabbath. How does the good sea-captain, mid-way on his

voyage across the ocean meet his Sun-day? He has his religious services, but of state is to be kept going steadily for ward, and whatsoever is absolutely necessary to that end and ordinarily no more should be the extent of business em-Secondly, Recreation. Under this head we include not only much that is synonymous with amusements, but more strictly intellectual social, and physical refreshment. Here the question to be applied is, what recreation do the various classes of people really need on Sunday, and how shall they get it? It will be seen t once that we have again the rule to e drawn from diversities of condition. The man devoted to intellectual pursuits hardly wants to open a book on Sunday: The mechanic finds that this is the only KEEPING COUNSEJ .- It is said, that one time he can get to read. The man of selects and reads at his leisure; the poor

voice of the six netnal and possible events. In inflict a they e of the the very different circumstances, but they the body was, Pat came out of the me to have primary regard to the wants bushes, and good naturedly thanked they say they want. I Neither are decisive. Some of the tired diggers were diagusted: precedents of the ease to be sought in but the joke was too good to allow any Judes of Scotland, not even in the last thing more than a hearty laugh that generation nor in the next village. The question stands by itself, because that particular Sabbath problem was made for the men whom it concerns. By the light of the divine precept, as well as the dictates of common sense, what right has the "member from Cranberry Centre" to overbear the claims in such a matter as this of a city like Boston or Cincinnati? It is gratifying, however, to observe that, hereif the Germans will leave this evening or, under the working of our institutions, such denials of right can be but tempo-such denials of right can be but tempo-rary, as they serve only to vitalize and sinus in the courts of the Louvre and Place du and strengthen the demand till it be-

We need not follow out the application of the general principle we have assumed to the other items under this special head of recreation on Sunday, such as con erts, lectures, facilities for visiting parks good of society as it is frequired! On the one hand it is all-important that the samoral refreshment and elevation, should be kept up; on the other hand the actual securing of those benefits depends so largely upon the actual state of the community, that the only safe way to settle he various questions of practical obserance is to refer them to the community itself .- Every Saturday. 1 account had ,!

FOURTH OF MARCH.—Yesterday was ed Paris to-day. Prince Frederick Charles re commemmorated in the city by the firemen, with one of those monster and gay peror and Crown Pringe leave in a few days for processions, for which they are now propleasant and provoked the people to ceived the following dispatch; turn-out for promedade. As is usual on measured sten, wended their way over was, through seven months of battle, to up," Neveral of the streets passed of Hosts has everwhere visibly ble character of peace officers. We are glad the Assembly until the cession of French to hear that no accidents occurred out

I The absence of any contribution from Mark Twain, in the columns of the March number of the Galaxy, is accounted for by "the sudden and alarming illness of Mrs. Clemens."

How BRAVE MEN DIE-Both French and Germans have men of heroic mold n their armies. A late letter to the Cincinnati Gazette mentions two as fol-

Gen. Renault is dead. Amputation ould not save him. As his breath shortened, a sister of Charity said: "Shall we pray for you?" the dying soldier said." "Pray for France," these were his last words. They were as earnest as dead. The scene was touching. But there was a more touching one at the American ambulance. One of the Saxon wounded died. He had distated a letter to his battle of the 31st before Paris; I hope God's hands. I send my love to all my low Ordinary, Strict Good Ordinary, brothers and disters and pray God to Midding and Strict Midding. my wound is not serious, but I am in take care of you. Everything has been done for me, and I am very thankfull for the kindness of these good people. Your affectionate Gustave" In the delirous moments he exclaimed: "How beautiful the Spring time! Oh, the flowers, the flowers, how I should like to have some!" Some were brought. All the large tents were deeply affected. Soldiers sobbed on their pillows. All were melted and impressed by the pathos in the death, of this simple-hearted and devouted Saxon soldier. He died talking in his beautiful delirium of the spring time and the flowers, and his soul passed out of our midst to where the flowers never wither, and where there is but one season, and "that one season an eternol Spring.

How to GET A WELL Due .- An Irish-Legislature is after the Institutions of his his own counsel, has beyond a doubt resorting the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near: then took off his hat part his views. Having shown that the gradually acquire the habit of resorting nobody was near:

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A Paris dispatch of Wednesday night says the Germans occupy all the quarters assigned the the high commission now in session at Washing on, avoiding all difficulties to the distribution of the Alabama claims, will agree to pay a round sum of money, leaving the division of

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LONDON, March 3.—A dispatch to the Times

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VERLAULES, March 3.-I have

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BORDEAUX. March 3.—Rochefort, Blanc resign, but declared he would nev territory was recinded.

COMMERCIAL

SATURDAY, MATCH 4- 11:30 A. M. Corron—The market is quiet. There is a fair inquiry, but the supply on sale is poorly assorted, and the business thus far is comfined to about 1500 bales. Prices are without any quotable change, but the advantage has been on the side of the buyer, and since the 12 M. dispetch, reporting New York lower, the feeling on the part of halders is less confident, while buyers claim

Yesterday's operations, including 375 not re ported, embraced 3965 bales (the largest bush of the season). The New Orleans Cotton change having determined upon its types, we gave its official quotations for even-running, an nexed to our figures for average lists, the out-side figures of which are for Strict.

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"Was Shakespeare a Lawyer ?" is one of those curious little cessys with which ingenious people beguile their leisure in speculations as to the range and quality of Shakespeare's knowledge on various technical subjects. Lord Campbell once took up this particular question, as to Shakespeare's legal attainments, and, with characteristic Scotch caution, came to the conclusion that no positive answer could be given. The writer of the present treatises hold that a positive answer can be given, and that there is abundance of proof that the dramatist who come Measure for Measure" and "All's Well that Ends Well" must have been a practical lawyer His opinion is that de l lad Shakespeare spent some time in an attorney's, and he lays stress on the fact go without reading. Of every dozen such When he had due about twenty-five feet torneys, and never indulges in the cheap

izens dis- technicalities, he goes on to show that we had cased in, and while all the lawyers are made to talk ad coat on the windlass, good law, the non-professional portion few hours of brisk they touch on legal subjects. Some of the strained and fanciful as the arguments

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of the following resolution in place of 121.1 place of this warrant Clerk of this as is hereb instructed to pay to the widow is hereb loseph l'Official, of Baton Rouge, the done thousand one hundred and seventy-(\$1176,) to be paid out of the con-

ent finds of this House. netition of Polycarpe Fortier, and rethe passage of the accompanying bill.

J. GARSTKAMP, Chairman. ous bills Nos. 108 and 112, reported by the

The pairiest of Alfred Delarodire was referred

tee of the whole. Mose bill No. 200, an act for the relief of the of Fre Company No. 2, Sixth District of then was placed upon its second readand abried to the committee of the whole. relative to its unfavorable report or No. 127, and the petition of Charles out of the city of New Orleans.

please also agreed with the report of the relative to the resolution recommend in lieu of House bill No. 121, and it sumously adopted.

rape Fortier, reported by the committee splaced on its second reading, and referred mittee on Enrollment, through its nan, submitted the following report, which

COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT, New Orleans, February 6, 1871. the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives :

or to report as having been duly engrossed House bill No. 146, an act to apporiate the sum of two hundred and fifty usand (\$250,000) dollars, or so much hereof as may be necessary, for the ment of mileage and perdiem of bers, salaries of officers and per of members, salaries of officers per diem of employes and contingent enses of the General Assembly of State of Louisiana.

C. J. ADOLPHE, Chairman. The Special Committee on Harbors barves and Landings, through its chairan, submitted the following report which was read, received and accepted, and upon motion of Mr. Faulkner, of Caldwell, House bill 202, reported by

Honorable Speaker and Members of the

House of Representatives.
Gentlemen: The Special Committee mon Carriers of the port of New bleans, originated by the House, have acts of 1869. the honor to make a partial report of

The recent casualties by fire, and otherrise at the port of New Orleans, have rought to the attention of your commite, the great dangers that the lives of the citizens and commercial interests have en placed in peril of, in the city of New Orleans, by the unlawful allowing floating "powder magazines," or owder boats, within the corporate imits of the city, and the landing of the mme at the harbors thereof. And at the cent conflagrations, occurring thereat, the boats, or magazines, were in great langer of causing explosion, thereby copardizing the lives and property of ur good citizens; and by miraculous snagement alone, was this great ratustrophe prevented.

Hence your committee inquired into to laws and customs of other States, in relation to powder magazines or flotillas thereof, and we find that healthful municipal law regulates this precarious

Hence your committee have, in conforaity therewith, prepared a bill which we think is ample to meet the evil and the dangers complained of, and respectfully at the House to adopt the accompanying bill by its enactment into a law.

Respectfully and unanimously submittby authority and direction of

D. CADY STANTON! Chairman. any powder magazine, or boats acting as such imagazine being located or allowed a landing within the corporate limits of the city of New Orleans, or within three miles thereof, and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate

ad House of Representatives of the Sate of Louisiana in General Assembly arened, That it shall be unlawful and casidered a nuisance to locate any londer magazine, or allow any boats Louisiana. ting as such, to be situated or landed thin the corporate limits of the city of

New Orleas, and within three mile thereof; and any violations of the provions of this act shall subject the offender on conviction before a court of competer jurisdiction, to a penalty of one thousand dollars, and imprisonment not more than five years, at the discretion of said court, and the Mayor and Metropolitan Police of the city of New Orleans are charged with the enforcement of this act, as the conservators of the peace and well being of said city; provided, that the fine bly on the petition of Charles Futchs, imposed by the court shall be awarded one half to the informers and the other half to the use of the Charity Hospital of

the city of New Orleans.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That when it appears to the Attorney General, Mayor of the city of New Orleans, or other citizens of the State, that any person has violated any of the provisions of this act, they shall immediately make complaint in the name of the State to some judge of any court of competent jurisdiction, in or out of term time, for an injunction to restrain such person or persons from any further proceedings therein, and on being satisfied that there is sufficient ground therefor, such judge shall forthwith issue such injunction as and hear and do all things necessary in like cases of injunction as is provided by law to restrain and suppress all such unlawful acts, and if the adverse party neglects to appear, or the final decree of the court is against him judgement shall be rendered against him for all costs, for such compensation to the Attorney General or other counsel for complainants for services and expenses as the court deem reasonable and, by order, may ward therefor.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, etc., This act shall take effect and shall be in force five days after its passage, and all laws, and parts of laws, inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Notices were given that at some futu time the following entitled bills would be

By Mr. Faulkner, of Caldwell: A bill to smend and re-enact section 1849 of the Revised Statutes of 1870. By Mr. Pond, of East Feliciana:

A bill to amend section 3 of an act rela ting to gambling houses, where banking games are kept for the purpose of betting money, or anything representing money. By Mr. Moncure, of Caddo:

An act to refund money for sales of unlo ated State warrants, and to give the purchasers the right of priority in entry. By Mr. Waters, of Orleans:

A bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the New Orleans, St. Bernard, Plaquemines and Lake Borgne Canal Company. Also, a bill regulating the costs and fees

of the clerks of the district court throughout the State. By Mr. Thompson, of St Tammany:

An act to provide for and determine valuation of the property of all railroad companies within the State of Louisiana. By Mr. Morphy, of Orleans:

An act to legitimize children born of parhe committee, was ordered to be printed ties cohabiting as man and wife, and to declare such cohabit during the space of ten years to constitute marriage.

By Mr. Oplatek, of Orleans:

An act to amend and re-enact an act enwealth of the State of Louisiana, No. 93, Pass-al'Outre.

By Mr. Harper, of St. Charles:

A bill entitled an act to amend an act to incorporate the Right Bank Railroad and Freight Transferring Company, and to give it the powers necessary to its operation.

By Mr. Hyams, of West Baton Rouge: A bill entitled an act to remove the seat of government of the State of Louisiana to the city of Baton Rouge, and to establish the capital of the State thereat, and for other

By Mr. Br. wster, of Onachita:

An act to incorporate the Crow Lake and Oak Ridge Turnpike Company, and granting certain powers and privileges thereto. By Mr. Smith, of Caddo:

An act to incorporate the St. Paul Metho dist Episcopal Church Association of Shreve-

Also, an act authorizing Peter Snowden to adopt Victor Vaughn and Frank Vaughn as children of his wife Mary Jane, prior to her marriage with the said Peter Snowden By Wands of Tangipahou:

A bill entitled an act to extend the rights and privileges of the Gullett Gin Manufac turing Company a duly incorporated institution of this State.

By Mr. Tounoir, of Point Coupee: An act to authorize the curator all hoc of the estate of Augue McPhaul to sell proper-

ty at private sale. By Mr. Otto, of Orleans; A bill entitled an act to regulate the loca tion of slaughterhouses and the inspection of meat in the city of New Orleans, parishes of Jefferson, Orleans and St. Bernard, and the duty of the Attorney General, the city of New Orleans and the Board of Metropolitan Police, in cases concerning persons engaged in the business of preparing meat for

By Mr. Kenner, of Orleans: An act transferring the keeping of the

By Mr. Worrall, of Jefferson:

A bill to amend an act to establish qua intine for the protection of the State. By Mr. Tutman, of St. Landry: An act to amend and re-enact article nine

hundred and sixteen of the Civil Code of

By Mr. Marvin, of Catahoula: A bill for the relief of the Supervisors of House bill No. 82, an act to carry into and F. Otto, of Orleans.

A bill to provide for the registration of in aid port By Mr. Yorke, of Carroll:

bill entitled an act to a itled "An act to authorize a new and official map of the te.

Also, an act to incorporate the Louis

and Texas Steamship Company.

Also, a joint resolution authorizing a joint committee of both houses to locate a site for State House, and to purchase the necessar grounds therefor, and making an appropri ation to pay for such purchase, and to build

a State House.

Also, a joint resolution to increase and

INTRODUCTION OF BILLA The following bills were placed on their first reading, and under a suspension of the constitutional rule were read a second time and referred to the following committees:

House bill No. 187, an act entitled an act to enforce that portion of section 1114 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Louisians relative to the better observance of the Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

House bill No. 188, an act to limit the ex-penses of the Legislature of the State of

Committee on Ways and Means, House bill No. 189, an act for the relief of Leonidas C. Rasberry, late State and Parish

Tax Collector of the parish of Bossier.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary. House bill No 190, an act for the relief of August Barg.

Referred to the Committee on Claims House bill No. 191, an act to change the time of holding the session of the District Court in the Tenth Judicial District, and to establish two additional terms of said court in the parish of Caddo for the trial of State cases.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

House bill No. 191, an act entitled an act forming a levee district to be composed of the parishes of Madison, Carroll and Catahoula, for the better protection of the same from inundation, approved March 18, 1852, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; to authorize the Governar of the State to appoint commissioners for the purpose of scertain ng the total indebtednes against said levee district, and to authorize him to issue the bonds of the State in payment of said indebtedness.

Ordered to be printed and referred to the Committee on Public Lands and

House bill No. 193, an act to establish he Louisiana Charitable Association, for the benefit of the public schools and for other purposes.

Ordered to be printed, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House bill No. 194, an act relative to bilots; to amend and re-enact certain section of the Revised Statute was of the State of Louisiana of 1870, relative to titled an act to recognize the Bureau of Emi- pilots; to create a Board of Commissiongration and for measures to devolop the resources and increase the population and Superintendents at Southwest Pass and The

Pass-al'Outre.

Ordered to be printed, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and manufactures. WATHGATH \ (17)

House bill No. 195, an act for the relief of the Trustees of the New Orleans Methodist Depository, and to exempt their property from taxation.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary House bill No. 196. an act for the relief of T. B. Thompson, late assessor of the parish of St. Helena, referred to Committee on Claims.

House bill No. 197, an act to amond and re-enact section of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the sale of stock in the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company held by the State of Louisiana and the city of New Orleans," approved on the first day of April, 1870

Referred to Committee on Judiciary House bill No. 198, an act to amend and re-enact an act entitled an "act to regulate the oyster fisheries on the bays ann coasts of the State of Louisians, being act No. 18 of the regular session of 1870.

Referred to the Committee on Public Health and Quarantine. House bill No. 199, an act entitled an

act for the relief of the inspectors of revistration and election appointed by Judge Woods in and for the several election districts of the city of New Orleans Referred to Committee on Claims.

HOUSE BILLS ON THEIR SECOND READING. The following bills were placed upon

their second reading and referred to the appropriate Committees House bill No. 75, an act to repeal an Workhouse of the city of New Orleans to act entitled "an act to anthorize all per-the Criminal Sheriff of the parish of Or-leans."

to keep open all business hours of the day, private markets, stores, or stands in any part of the city of New Orleans, for the sale of meats, game, poultry, vegeta-bles, fruit and fresh fish," approved March

Referred to the Committee on Health

MNo. 91 an and granting privit Martin prevenent Company.

House bill No. 97, an act to incorpor

ate the town of St. Joseph, in the parish

Referred to Committee on Corpora

WARD, SOLMONDS & CO. COMMON ANAMAN House bill No. 102 a bill for the relief of members of the Metropolitan Police of Carrollton, and Jefferson parish right

Referred to Committee on Metropoli-

House bill No. 101, joint resolution

the parish of Orleans in all cases when lion, the amount claimed does not exceed one hundred dollars, exclusive to the amount claimed does not exceed one hundred dollars, exclusive to the line Congress to devise some plan and costs, was placed upon its third be common school education may be common school education may be common school education of the

Upon its final passage the yeas and nevs were demanded by Messrs. Kenner, of Orleans, and Marie, of Terrebonne, which resulted as follows

Yeas: Antoine, Bowen, Buchanan, Darinsburg, Davis, Dewees, Floyd, Gardner, W. Harper, Johnson, Kenner, H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Mahoney, Marie, McCarty, Morphy, Ong, Ringgold, Smith, Stanton, Tounoir, Tureaud, Ullman, Verrett, Wands, E. Williams, Wilson. Worall-29.

Nays: Baker, Barker, Barrow, Bentlev. Bickham, Blunt, Brewster, Brousard, Brown, Bryan, Buckingham, Burch, Butler, Chachere, Cochran, Crawford, Darby, Demas, Durio, Ellis, Faulkner, Fontelieu, Garstkamp, P. Harper, Huston, Hyams, Kearson, Killen, Kinsella, La Saliniere, Llambias, Lynch, Matthews, McFarland, Mendows, Moncure, Morris, Murray, Oplatek, Overton, Pond, Quinn, Raby, Riley, Sartain, Schumacher, Stamps, Stevens, Stinson, Tatman, Thompson, Washington of Concordia. Waters, Wheyland, H. Williams, Yorke, Young-57.

And the House refused to pass the

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE. Upon motion of Mr. Faulkner, of Caldwell, the House resolved itself into committee of the whole to consider House

bill No. 70, an act for the relief of Jacob Strauss 151 to 10 5 10 10 10 1 Mr. Kenner, of Orleans, in the

After considering the bill the committee record of the proceedings of the committee, who shall receive the same compensation as the other committee clerks of the House.

The committee, through its chairman, reported progress, and asked leave to sit

again. The report of the committee was ac-

The Speaker announced the following necial committee : IV bas it no O remas

Special committee to investigate into the affairs of the Metropolitan Police Board : Messrs. W. B. Barrett, of Oreans; J. Garstkamp, of Jefferson Thomas Murray, of Orleans ; F. Schumacher, of Orleans, and J. W. Quinn, of

Orleans. Special committee to investigate the sale of five million dollars city bonds: Messrs. W. C. Kinsella, of Orleans ; E. Williams, of Orleans, and H. H. Stevens. of Jackson.

Special committee to investigate the affairs of the New Orleans, Mobile and Chattanooga Railroad Company: Messrs P. Harper, of St. Charles ; F. Schumacher, of Orleans, and T. Murray, of Or-

Special committee to investigate and eport to the House the number of crimihals who have been released on writs of habeas corpus under various pretexts by Judge W. H. Cooley, Judge of the Sixth District Court : Messrs. T. D. Worrali, of Jefferson; J. M. Thompson, of St. Tammany, and A. L. Durio, of St. Lan-

Special committee to investigate all matters relative to the facilities and disadvantages of the wharves, landings, and harbors of the port of New Orleans : Messrs. F. Schumacher, of Orleans : W. J. Johnson, of Orleans; W. A. Llambias, of Orleans ; J. J. Moore, of St. Mary and J. Wilson, of East Baton Rouge.

Special committee to investigate into he affairs of the Crescent City Live Stock Landing and Slaughterhouse Company: Messrs. C. J. Barker, of Lafourche ; J. S. Matthews, of Tensas, and F. Otto, of

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the Louisiana Canal and Land books and affairs of the Commissioners of Immigration: Messrs. J. H. Bowen, of Orleans; H. H. Stevens of Jackson, and J. C. Meadows, of Claiborne.

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Mexican Gulf Ship Canal: Messrs. D. Young, of Concordia; S. Marvin, of Ca-

tahoula, and A. Tureaud, of St. James. Special committee oh the part of the House to examine the books, accounts and vouchers of the State Treasurer:

Messrs. J. L. McFarland, of St. Martin;

A. Belot, of Orleans; H. J. Hyams, of East Baton Rouge, and V. E. McCarty,

Special committee to examine into the affairs of the New Orleans Gaslight Com-

reating a joint special committee to be known as committee on Senate House.

Referred to Committee on Public Buildings.

House RILLS ON THEIR THIRD READING.

House bill No. 40, an act to define the particular of Councillation of Councillation of Councillation of Councillation of Councillation. urisdiction of justices of the peace for St. Landry, and P. Fontelieu, of Vermil-

> be generally extended to the youth of the United States, was put upon its third reading by title its title adopted, and it was ordered to be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Special committee to take into cansileration that part of the Governor's message relative to bribery of State officials: Messrs. O. H. Brewster, of Ouachita; D. A. Cochran, of Lafayette; J. J. Moore, of St. Mary; B. W. Baker, of Franklin;

and F. Marie, of Terrebonne.

Special committee on that part of the House to examine the scenrities deposited by hankers and banking companies, together with all the books and papers relating to the business of Statutes; Messrs, J. C. Moncure, of Caddo; D. A. Cochran, of Lafayette; J. S. Killen, of Clai. borne; P. Harper, of St. Charles, and C. F.

Special committee on the part of the House investigate the Donaldson and Baton Rouge riots: Messrs. T. W. C. Brown, of Ascension; J, H. Burch, of East Baton Rouge, H. J. Hyams

of West Baton Rouge.

Special committee to take into consideration that part of the Governor's message relative to life insurance companies, and to investigate the affairs of all insurance companies doing business in this State: Messrs. L. T. Souer, of Avoyelles

and J. W. Bryan, of Calcasien.

Special committee on House bill No. 85: Mes srs. J. H. Bowen, of Orleans; J. C. Adolphe, of Orleans; J. Ullman, of Orleans; F. C. Antoine, of Orleans, and F. Otto, of Orleans.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS. Mr. Worrall, of Jefferson, called up the follow-

Resolved. That the special committee appointed to investigate the affairs of the First and Sixth District Courts be empowered to send for persons and papers, to examine witnessess unde oath, and that the chairman be authorized to employ a competent clerk to assist and keep a

When the House last considered if, the queswhereby the House had refused to adopt the

The motion to reconsider prevailed, and th

esolution was adopted. Upon motion of Mr. Kenner, of Orleans th House was declared adjourned antil twelve o'clock M. WILLIAM VIGERS.

Thirty-second Day's Session. House of Representatives, Tuesday, February 7, 1871. The House met pursuant to adjournment

Speaker Carter in the chair.

Chief Clerk.

The roll was called and the following embers answered to their names: Messrs. Carter, Abell, Adolphe, Antoin Baker, Barker, Barrett, Barrow, Belot Bentley, Bickham, Blunt, Brewster, Brous sard, Bryan. Buchanan, Buckingham, Bure Butler, Carr, Chachere, Cochran. Crawford, Darby, Darinsburg, Davidson, Davis, De mas, Dewees, Durio, Ellis, Faulkner, Floyd Fontelieu, Gaddis, Gardner, Garstkamp, P. Harper, W. Harper, Hempstead, Huston Hyams, Kearson, Kenner, Killen, Kinsella La Saliniere, Laurent, Llambias, H Lott, J. B. Lott, Mahoney, Marie, Marvin, Mat-thews, McFarland, Meadows, Moncure, Morphy Morris, Murray, Nelson, Ong, Oplatek Otto, Overton, Pond, Quinn, Raby, Riley, Ringgold, Sartain, Schumacher, Smith Souer, Stamps, Stevens, Stinson, Tatman Thompson, Tounoir, Tureaud, Ullman, Ver,

A quorum present. Upon motion of Mr. De la Saliniere, of S Martin, the reading of the journal was dispensed with, and it was approved.

rett, Wands, Washington, of Assumption

Washington of Concordia, Wheyland, E.

Williams, N. Williams, Wilson, Worrall,

Yorke, Young-94.

Mr. Brewster, of Ouachita, moved a reonsideration of the vote whereby the House efused to pass House bill No. 40, an act to define the jurisdiction of justices of the peace for the parish of Orleans in all cases the amount claimed does not execed one hundred dollars, exclusive of interest and

Mr. Quinn, of Orleans, moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table, and being seconded by Mr. Ringgold, of Orleans demanded the yeas and nays theron, with the

following result: Yeas: Abell, Adolphe, Antoine, Barrett Belot, Bentley, Blunt, Bowen, Brewster, Brown, Burch, Carr, Crawford, Darinsburg Davis, Demas, Faulkner, Gaddis, Gardner

onect article 114 of the constitution of Special committee to investigate the this State, and to repeal all laws and acts in conflict therewith and to restorce the Messrs. N. A. Hambias, of Orleans; E. Broussard, of Beria; H. Raby, of Natchitoches; L. C. La Saliniere, of St. Murphy, Ong. Oplatek, Overton, Quinn, Raby, Riley, Riuggold, Sartain, Stampa, ington, of Assumption, Washington, of Concordia, Wheyland, E. Williams, H. Wiliams, Wilson, Yorke, Young-58.

Nays: Baker, Barker, Barrow, Bickham, Broussard, Bryan, Buckingham, Butler, Chachere, Cochran, Darby, Davidson, Durio, Ellis, Huston, Kenner, McFarland, Meadows, Moncure, Nelson, Otto, Pond, Schumacher, Stevens, Stinson, Tatman Thompson, Worrall—28.

And the motion to lay the motion to re onsider on the the table premiled.

Mr. Burch, of East Baton Rouge, by perasion, offered the following res which was read and adopted, under a sus ension of the rules:

Resolved, That the Committee on Peniten iary be instructed to proceed to Beton Rouge as soon as practicable and examine the penitentiary at that place; and that they be allowed to take with them their clerk the expenses of the same to be paid out of the contingent fund.

[Mr. Ullman, of Orleans, in the chair.] Mr. Kenner, of Orleans, called up the fol. wing resolution, which was read

Resolved, That the chairman of the special committee of five appointed to investigate the City Park fund be authorized to employ clerk and an expert.

Mr. Brown, of Ascension, moved to an

y striking out the words "and an expert" at the end of the resolution.

Mr. Kenner, of Orleans, accepted the

amendment, and the resolution as amended was ad opted. Mr. Bickham, of Washington, moved that he vote whereby the House passed the follow-

Resolved, That with a view to expedite th necessary legislation already accumulated on the calendar of this House, this body shall be bereafter required, during the remainder of the session of 1871, to hold two daily sessions. The morning session to commence at twelve o'clock M., and the evening session at 7 o'clock

Mr. Antoine, of Orleans, moved to lay the

ost by a rising vote of 38 year to 46 mays.

Upon the motion to reconsider the year and mays were called for by Messrs. Antoine, of Oreans, and Davidson, of Livingston, with the

Yeas : Abell, Baker, Barker, Barrow, Belet, Bentley, Bickham, Blunt, Brewster, Brouseard, Bryan, Burch, Butler, Carr, Chachere, Cochran Crawford, Darby, Darinsburg, Davidson, Demas, Dewees, Durie, Ellis, Faulkner, Fontelieu, Dewees, Durie, Ellis, Faulkner, Fontalieu, Gardner, P. Harper, Hempstead, Hyams, John-son, Kenron, Kilfra, La Scheier, Lattera Liambias, H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Lynch, Mahousy, Matthews, McCarly, McFarland, Meadow, Moncare, Morris, Nelson, Ong, Oplatek, Ove-ton, Pond, Quinn, Raby, Riley, Sartain, Schumacher, Stamps, Stevens, Stinson, Tatman Thompson, Tureaud, Verrett, Wands, Washing

Worrall, Yorke-70. Nays : Adolphe, Antoine, Barrett, Bo rown, Davis, Gaddis, Garstkamp, W. Harper, Cenner, Kinsella, Marie, Morphy, Muzray, Otto

Upon motion of Mr. Burch, for East Bat touge, the resolution was laid upon the table. Mr. Quinn, of Orleans, offered the follow Resolved, That this House will not adjourn up til 4 P. M., without a vote of four-fifths of the

Mr. Johnson, of Orleans, offered the follow ing resolution, which lies over under the rules :

Resolved, That when this House adjourns that
it will adjourn to meet every day hereefter at

ten o'clock Mr. Tatman, of St. Landry, called up the concurrent resolution received from the S relative to the appointment of a joint commit to examine the memorial of Charles De la Marre et als., in relation to a patent for extracting the saccharine matter from the sweet potato, and poved its adoption.

Pending action on the motion to adopt the

oncurrent resolution, Mr. Barrett, of Orleans, called for the special order of the day, the hour of one o'clock having arrived. SPECIAL ORDER OF THE DAY. bill so. 86, an act entitted an act to nend an act entitled "an act to regulate public cation in the State of Louisians and the city of New Orleans, and to raise a revenue for that urpose," approved March 16, 1870, reported y the Committee on Public Education, was

the bill be considered section by sec-The first section was read. The following amendment recommended by the committee was adopted.

In line thirty-one, after the word "local," insert the words "or parish." Upon motion of Mr. Harry Lott, of Rapides, the first section as amended was

Mr. Bentley, of St. Mary, moved that

Mr. Thompson, of St. Tammany, moved reconsideration of the vote whereby the first section as amended was adopt

Mr. Harry Lott, of Rapides, moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table, and being seconded by Mr. The son, of St. Tammany, demanded the year and nays, with the following result:

Yeas : Abell, Adolphe, Antoine, Bar rett, Belot, Bentley, Blunt, Bower Brewster, Brown, Burch, Carr, Crawford, Darinsburg, Davis, Demas, Faulkner, Gaddis, Gardner, P. Harper, W. sella, Laurent, H. Lott, J. B. Lott Lynch Mahoney, Marie, Marvin, Matthews, Mc-

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SUPPLEMENT

SUNDAY MARCH 5, 1871.

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The second section was read. Mr. Thompson, of Sl. Tammany, ofbred the following amendment :

Strike out, in line two the word State Board of Education," and insert be thereof, "municipal authorities." Mr. H. Lott, of Rapides, moved to lay a smendment upon the table, upon hid Messrs. Kenner, of Orleans, and Thompson, of St. Tammany, called for and nays, which resulted as

Abell, Adolphe, Antoine, Bar-Belot, Bentley, Blunt, Bowen, Bester, Burch, Carr, Crawford, Gardner, Garstkamp, P. Har-W. Harper, Hempstead, Johnson, lanon, Kenner, Kinsella, La Saliniere, erent H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Lynch, oney, Marie, Marvin, Matthews, Mcarty, McFarland, Morphy, Morris, Jurray, Oplatek, Overton, Pond, Raby, ilev. Ringgold, Sartain, Souer, Stamps, ctanton, Tounoir, Tureaud, Ullman. Verrett, Wands, Washington of Assumption, Washington of Concordia, Whayland, E. Williams, H. Williams, Wilson, Worrall, Yorke, Young 64.

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The motion to lay on the table pre-

Mr. Wands, of Tangipahoa, offered the blowing amendment, which was laid on the table on motion of Mr. Kenner. Orleans:

Strike out, in line fourteen, the words "and received out." and the words "per year," in the seventeenth line. The second section was then adont-

The third section was read and adopt-

Sections fourth and fifth were read

The sixth section was read.

Mr. Thompson, of St. Tammrny, red the following amendment Section six, second line, strike out the

words "State Board of Education," and insert "municipal authorities;" and lines fifteen and sixteen, strike out "State Board of Education" and insert "munieipal authorities."
On motion of Mr. H. Lott, of Rapides

the amendment was laid on the table and the section adopted. The seventh section was read and

The eighth section was read. The following substitute, recommend

d by the committee in lieu thereof, was read and adopted, upon motion of Mr. H. Lett, of Rapides : Substitute for section eight :

Szc. 8. Be it further enacted, etc. That the Administrator of Finance of the city of New Orleans shall perform the duties of Treasurer of the Board of School Directors for the city of New Orleans, as a part of his official duties; and shall receive all moneys collected for appropriated to the parish of Or-bans for school purposes; shall daily deposit the same in the Fiscal Agency of the city, and only pay them out by theck on the order of said Board of Broussard, shool Directors; and he shall be exfected a member of the Board.

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he ninth section was read. Brewster, of Ouschita, offered the ing amendments, which were read

h line five, strike out the words "three

and," and insert the words "four he he ninth line, after the word "year,"

the following words: "Payable anthly out of the public school fund on arrant of the Division Superintendt of said Sixth Division."

The section, as amended, was then

he tenth section was read he eleventh section was read Mr. H. Lott, of Rapides, offered ing amendment, which was read

take effect from and after its pas-

Mr. Kenner, of Orleans, moved the doption of the bill as amended, as a

Under a suspension of the rules the bill was considered engrossed.

Under a suspension of the co tional rule the bill was put upon its third

Upon its final passage the yeas and mays were demanded by Messra. Quinn, of Orleans, and Worrall, of Jefferson with the following result : Yeas : Abell, Adolphe, Antoine, Bar-

ker, Barrett, Barrow, Belot, Bentley, Bickham, Blunt, Bowen, Brewster, Broussard, Brown, Bryan, Buckingham, Burch, Carr, Chachere, Cochran, Crawford, Darby, Darinsburg, Davis, Demas, Durio, Faulkner, Fontelieu, Gaddis, Gardner, Garstkamp, P. Harper, W. Harper, Hempstead, Johnson, Kearson, Kenner Killen, Kinsella, La Saliniere, Laurent, Llambias, H. Lott, J. B. Lott, Lynch, Mahoney, Marie, Marvin, McCarty, Mc-Farland, Meadows, Moncure, Morphy, Morris, Murray, Oplatek, Otto, Overton, Pond, Quinn, Raby, Riley, Ringgold, Sartain, Souer, Stamps, Stevens, Stinson, Tatman, Thompson, Tounoir, Tureaud, Ulhman, Verrett, Washington of Assumption, Washington of Concordia, Waters, Wheyland, E. Williams, H. Wil-

liams, Wilson, Worrall, Young 83. Nays : Baker, Ellis, Nelson, Schuma cher-4.

The bill was finally passed, its title adopted, and it was ordered to be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Mr. H. Lott, of Rapides, moved a r consideration of the vote just taken, and also moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table. Carried.

[The Speaker resumed the chair.] The Committee on Enrollment submitted the following report, which was read and received:

COMMUTTEE ON ENBOLLMENT, New Orleans February 7, 1871. To the Honorable Speaker and Members of House of Representatives: Your Committee on Enrollment beg

leave to report as having been duly engrossed the following House bills: House bill No. 20, an act to regulate

House bill No. 107, an act to incorporate the Sons of Emmet Benevolent Association of the city of New Orleans. House bill No. 122, an act to incorporate the Morning Star Benevolent Associa tion of the parish of Ascension.

C. J. ADOLPHE, Chairman. MIS GOE FROM THE SENATE

othe Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives :

I am directed to request of your honorable body concurrence in the following leans; C. J. Baker, of L fourche. bills, viz:

enact section 761 of the Revised Statutes, approved March 14, 1870, and providing for the payment of costs in preliminary criminal examinations, and when the party has been acquitted

moneys paid to the State of Louisiana.

Senate bill No. 46, for the relief of the University of Louisiana, to repair the West wing, etc.

Senate bill No. 126, to amend and re mact article 3165 of the Revised Civil

Senate bill No. 127, to repeal section 1748 of the Revised Statutes, approved March 14, 1870.

Senate bill No. 130, to smend and re enact articles 2705, 2706 and 2707 of the Revised Civil Code, etc.

CHARLES H. MERRITT. Secretary of the Senate. The Speaker announced the followed tanding committees:

Committee on Rules-The Speaker; P. York of Carroll, H. Mahoney, of Plaquemines: F. Otto, of Orleans: E Broussard, of Iberia, and B. W. Baker of

Cammittee on Immigration-W. G. John son, of Orleans; J. Oplatek. of Orleans Henry Demas, of St. John the Bentist A. C. Bickham, of Washington; John Nelson, of Lafourche; J. B. Lott, of Rapides, and J. H. Bowen, of Orleans.

Committee on Commerce and Manufac ures J. C. Meadows, of Claiborne; Isaac Ullman, of Orleans; H. R. Kearson, of Grant; A. W. Fau'kner, of Caldwell; C. D. Tatman, of St. Landry; Adolphe Tureaud, of St. James; J. M. Thompson St. Tammany; F. C. Antoine, of Orleanss and Joshua Wilson, of East Baten Rouge Committee on State Library-L. Darby, of St. Landry; J. J. Moore, of St. Mary E. F. Buckingam, of Morehouse, H. Williams, of Madison; H. L. Pond, of East Feliciana; D. A. Cochran, of Lafayette; E. Broussard, of Iberia; George Washington, of Concordin; W. Harper, lie lands, and for the survey of unsurveyed ap-

Committee on Federal Relations M. Morris, of Ascension; Isaac Ullman of Or-leans; J. J. Barrow, of West Pelicians; H. L. Pond, of East Feliciann: A. Belot. of Orleans

mittee on Registration_R. M. J Kenner, of Orleans; H. Raby, of Natchi toches; J. C. Moncure, of Caddo: H. H. Stevens, of Jackson; T. G. Davidson, of Livingston; V. E. McCarty, of Orleans; W. B. Wheyland, of Sabir

Committee on Public Printing-P. Fontelieu, of Vermillion; Henry J. Hyams, of West Baton Rouge; J. B. Lott, of Rapides: James B. Wands, of Tangipahoa; P. J. Yorke, of Carroll; D. A. Cochran, of Lafayette, and C. W. Ringgold, of Or-

Committee on Enrollment-James Quinn, of Orleans; C. J. Adelphe, of Orans: E. Broussard, of Iberia: G. H. Ellis, of Union; Buchanan, of Orleans. right bank; W. B. Wheyland, of Sabine and A. Stinson, of Winn.

Committee on Appropriations Benja Gaddis, of Orleans; B. L. Lynch, of Therville; C. J. Adolphe, of Orleans; L. C. La Saliniere; of St. Martin; H. Lott, of Rapides; A. L. Durio, of St. Landry; James M. Thompson, of St. Tammany.

Committee on Public Education O. H. Brewster, of Ouachita; Thomas D. Worrall, of Jefferson Anthony Overton, of Ouachita: H. H. Stevens, of Jefferson; Prosper Darinsburg, of Pointe Coupee H. A. Llambias, of Orleans; H. L. Pond. of East Feliciana; Emerson Bentley, of St. Mary.

Committee on Pensions-Fred Schu macher, of Orleans: A. C. Bickham of Washington; E. Davis, of Orleans; Theodore Chachere, of St. Landry; B. W. Baker, of Franklin; C. D. Tatman, of St. Landry; Emerson Bentley, of St. Mary.

Committee on Corporations A. W. Faulkner, of Caldwell; Henry Demas, of St. James; E. F. Buckingham, of More-house; Milton Morris, of Ascension; Edward Williams, of Orleans, D. A. Cochrane of Lafayette, Harry Lott, of Rapides.

Committee on Parochial Affairs C. F. Huston, of East Felicians; O. H. Brewster, of Ouachita; George Washington, of Concordia: H. C. Tounior, of Pointe Coupee; John Nelson, of Lafourche; Henry J. Hyams, of West Baton Rouge; C. Q. Butler, of Bienville.

Committee on Claims J. Garstkamp, of Jefferson; Henry Raby, of Natchitoches; Thomas Ong, of St. Bernard; J. Oplatek. of Orleans; David Young, of Concordia, 2. Q. Butler, of Bienville; P. Fontelieu, of Vermillion.

Committee on Militia-D. Young of Conordia; J. C. Moneure, of Caddo; T. G. Davidson, of Livingston; J. W. Bryan, of Calcasien; T. B. Stamps, of Jefferson; J. H. Burch, of East Baton Rouge; A. W. Fulkner, of Caldwell,

Committee on Canal and Drainage Isaac Ullman, of Orleans: T. B. Stamps of Jefferson; C. F. Huston, of East Feliciana: W. D. Floyd, of St. Helena: J. W. Quinn, of Orleans; F. Schumacher, of Or-

H. Waters, of Orleans; N. A. Llambias of Orleans; L. J. Souer, of Avoyelles: C. D. Tatman, of St. Landry, T. Chachere of St. Landry, H. C. To moir, of Pointe Coupee, P. Harper, of St. Charles.

Committee on Agriculture_B. L. Lynch Senate bill No. 28, for the relief of the of Therville, S. Marvin, of Catahoula, B. estate of M. Dickson, to refund certain W. Baker, of Franklin, E. C. Morehy, of Orleans, C. J. Adolphe, of Orleans, T. B. Stamps, of Jefferson, G. H. Ellis, of

Committee on Unfinished Business-W. D Floyd, of St. Helena, A. W. Faulkner, of Caldwell, H. L. Pond, of East Felicians, J. B. Lott, of Rapides, W. Crawford, of Rapides, A. Stinson, of Winn, C. Huston, of Feliciana.

Mr. Ringgold, of Orleans, moved as diournment until seven o'clock, P. M. Mr. Carr, of Orleans, moved to amend by inserting twelve o'clock to-morrow instead of seven o'clock P. M. Carried.

And the House was adjourned according

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OF THE

STATE OF LOUISIANA. Thirtieth Day's Session.

SENATE CHAMBER, Monday, February 6, 1871. (Continued from our last Number COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS February 6, 1871.

ble President and Members

entitled an set to amend and re-enact an act

tions therefor," to report the bill back to the its first reading Senata, and to recommend its passage.

I am also directed to report back to the Senate Senate bill No. 110, entitled an act to

OSCAR F. HUNSAKER,

eported favorably on Senate bill No. 125, to be atitled an act for the relief of Albin Soulie, and ecommend its passage.

Mr. Harrison, from the Committee on En-

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Senate bill No. 130, to be entitled an act to amend and re-enact articles 2705. 2706 and 2707 of the Bevised Civil Code of Louisiana, and to repeal all laws conflicting with this act.

Senate bill No. 27, to be entitled an mend and re-enact article 573 of the Code of

NOTICES OF BILLS.

By Mr. Whitney:
Of a bill to be entitled an act to inco the town of Waterproof, in the Parish of

My Mr. Ray : Of a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Bradish Johnson and others to sue the State of

Of a bill to be entitled an act to amend and Supreme Court and to regulate the terms thereof, the proceedings therein, the appeals thereto, and processes against the sureties on appeal bonds," approved March 16, 1870.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced,

A bill to be entitled an act to incorp New Orleans, Lafourche and Terrebonn Railroad Company, and to facilitate and expedite the construction of the same.

Pa seed its first reading.

The constitutional rule was then suspen by a four-fifths affirmative vote, the bill put on its second reading. and reserved to the Committee on Reilroads By. Mr. Swords :

A bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Pierre Bibolet, Assessor and Collector of Lafourch parish. Passed its first reading.

The contitutional rule was then suspended by a four-fifths affirmative vote, the bill put on its second reading, and referred to the Committee By Mr. Ingraham:

A bill entitled an act to incorporate the Progressive Literary Society of New Orleans.

Passed its first reading. by a four fifths affirmative vote, the bill put on

its second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations. By Mr. Blackman.

A bill to entitled an act to incorporate the Alexandria, Homer and Fulton Railroad Com-

pany, and grant State aid thereto. Which passed its first reading. The constitutional rule was then susp by a four-fifths affirmative vote, the bill put upon

its second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads. RESOLUTIONS By Mr. Wilcox :

Resolved, That hereafter the Senate sha hold night sessions, commencing at seve o'clock P. M., each evening. Lies over.

Mr. Pinchback called up the following resolution lying over : Resolved That The Co be increased to seven; and that the President be and he is hereby authorized to appoint two addi-

tional members to the same. Mr. Pinchback moved to adopt the foregoing Mr. Twitchell moved to lay the resolution

On call for the yeas and mays the Se refused to lay on the table by the following

Yeas: Anderson, Barber, Gallup, Harri Huncaker, Noland, Pierce, Ragan, Swords Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Wilcox-13. Nays: Antoine, Blackman, Bowman, Butler

Coupland, Daigle, Futch, Herwig, Ingraham, Kelso, Lynch, O'Hara, Pinchback, Ray, Smith, Thomas, Thompson-17. The question recurred on the motion

On a call of the yeas and nays the resolution was adopted by the following vote:
Yeas: Antoine, Blackman, Bowman, Butler Coupland, Daigle, Putch, Herwig, Ingraham, Kelso, Lynch, O'Hara, Pinchback, Ray, Smith,

Thompson-17. Nays: Barber, Gallup, Harris, Hunsaker, Noland, Pierce, Ragan, Swords, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Wilcox-12. PERSONAL LAING OVER.

Mr. Thomas called up a report on Senate bill io. 4, to be entitled an act for the relief of ert F. Scopini and Francis Lattier, etc. ved that the bill be consider

agrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Wilcox moved that the 'ill be p and made the special order for Wednesday next.

tee on Finance, was taken up and put Senate bill No. 145, repor mittee on Judiciary, was taken up and put up a

On a call of the year and mays, the Se

Bowman, Campbell, Daigle, Futch, Kelso Lynch, Pinchback, Thomas—12.

Nays: butler, Coupland, Gallup, Harris
Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Noland, O'Hara
Pierce, Ragan, Ray, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell.

Mr. Barber moved to amend by referring the Committee on the Judiciary instead of the of the Committee on Apportionment. Pending this motion, the hour for the order of the day arrived.

ORDER OF THE DAY. Senate bill No. 26, to be entitled an act promote the interest of commerce by establishing the Louisiana Warehouse Company, and quaranteeing the bonds thereof.

Mr. Campbell moved to take up the bill ection by section. Mr. Blackman moved to make the bill the

special order of the day for Friday next.

Mr. Ingraham moved to lay the motion

ote, the yeas and nays being ordered: Yeas: Anderson, Antoine, Barber, Butlet Campbell, Daigle, Gallup, Harris, Herwig Hunsaker, Ingrahem, Kelso, Lynch, Noland O'Hara, Ragan, Smith, Swords Sypher, Todd. Twitchell, Wilcox—22.

Nays: Blackman, Bowman, Futch, Lewis Pinchback. Thomas, Thompson—7.

The motion to take up the bill and consider

ection by section was adopted. On motic n of Mr. Todd, line eight of the first section was amended by striking out the name of A. C. Whitney and inserting the name of Joseph Hernande

On motion of Mr. Campbell, line eleven wa amended by stiking out the name of George F. Sherman and inserting W. R. Young. Also, line seven was amended by striking out the name of Cyrus Bussey and inserting A.

After much discussion a motion was made b Mr. Lewis to lay the bill on the table, which the Senate refused by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called :

Yess: Blackman, Bowman, Daigle, Futch, Lewis, Ray, Thomas, Thompson—8 Nays: Anderson, Antoine, Barber, Butler, Cambell, Coupland, Gallup, Harris, Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Kelso, Lynch, Noland O'Hara, Pinchback, Ragan, Smith, Swords

Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Wilcox-23. Mr. Ray was called to the chair. Mr. Lewis moved to postpone the bill till next

Mr. Todd raised the point of order that the motion to postpone till next Friday had been laid on the table, and that it would not be in order to entertain the same motion again on the same day.

Point overruled by the Chair. Yeas and pays were called on motion of Mr Lewis to lay on the table, which the Senate refused to do, by the following vote, on call of the yeas and nays:

Yeas: Blackman, Bowman, Daigle, Fish, Futch Lewis, Pierce, Ray, Thomas, Thompson-10. Nays: Anderson, Antoine, Barbor, Butler, Cambell, Coupland, Gallup, Harris, Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Jenks, Kelso, Lynch, Noland, O'Hara, Ragan, Swords, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Wilcox-22. Mr. Futch moved that the bill be re

the yeas and nays: Yeas: Blackman, Bowman, Daigle, Futch, Kelso. Lewis, Lynch, Pinchback, Ray, Thomas, Thomp-

which motion was laid on the table.

Campbell, Coupland, Fish, Futch, Gallup, Harris, Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Jenks Noland, O'Hara, Ragan, Smith Swords, Sypher Todd. Twitchell. Wilcox-22.

Mr. Sypher moved to amend in line eightee after the word "company," insert the words "whose domicile shall be in the city of New Or-

Mr. Blackman moved to adjourn, which th Senate refused to do by the following vote. Yeas: Antoine, Blackman, Bowman, Couplay Daigle, Futch, Lewis, Lynch, Pinchback, Ray Thomas, Thompson-12.

Nays: Anderson, Barber, Bufler, Campbe Fish, Gallup, Harris, Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Jenks, Noland, O'Hara, Ragan, Smith Swords, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Wilcox-20 Mr. Todd moved the previous quetion on th doption of the first section.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, the whole bil was read through by the Secretary. Mr. Cambell moved to amend by in tion ten, the words "for good and valid reasons.

Also, moved to strike out the word "one eaving blank in place of it, where it occurs th ad time in line thirteen, in section eleven of

Adopted

otion of Mr. Campbell, the bill wa lopted as amended as a who On motion of Mr. Campbell, the bill was e idered engrossed by the fellowing vote, the year

Yeas: Anderson, Antoine, Barber, Butler Campbell, Coupland, Gallup, Harris, Herwig Hunsaker, Ingraham, Jenks, Lynch, O'Hara, Ragan, S.nith, Swords, Sypher, Todd, Wilcox—

Nays; Blackman, Bowman. Daigle, Fish, utch, Lewis, Pierce, Thomas, Thompson Mr. Campbell moved a suspension of the Senate refused to suspend the rule on a call o

the year and nays by the following vote:
Yeas: Anderson, Antoine, Barber, Butler, Campbell, Gallup, Harris, Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Jenks, O'Hara, Ragan, Smith, Swords, Sypher, Todd, Whitney, Wilcox—19,

Nays: Blackman, Bowman, Daigle,

Futch, Lewis, Lynch, Pierce, Thomas, The

The President ordered the lobbics to be oleare on a call of two members for executive semion.

After the executive session had been raised, the Chair announced the following names to be put upon the Committee on Elections: Mesars-Pinchback and Ray.

Mr. Blackman moved that the printing bill be

fixed for to-morrow.

Mr. Smith raised the point of order, that the bill could not be sated upon, not being before the Senate.
Chair decided well taken.

Mr. Lynch moved, as a substitute, that the Committee on Printing be instructed to investi-Committee on Printing be instructed to investigate, with a view of ascertaining, why the printing bill had not been returned from the State Printer, and was not now in the Senate, and to report on Thursday

Senate bill No. 33 being called up, and before ny action was taken on it Mr. Lynch moved to

stood adjourned until the seventh instant, a CHARLES H. MERRITT

Secretary of the Senate

Thirty-First Day's Proceedings.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1871. The Senate met pursuant to adjourn-

nor and President of the Senate, and Messar Anderson, Antoine, Barber, Blackman, Bowman Butler, Campbell, Coupland, Daigle, Fish, Futel Gallup, Harris, Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingmhan Jenks, Kelso, Lewis, Lynch, Noland, O'Har Pierce, Pinchback. Ragan, Ray, Smith Swords, Sypher, Thomas, Thompson, Twit chell, Todd, Whitney, Wilcox—35.

Prayer by the Chaplain. Reading of the minutes of the previous ay's session was dispensed with.

The Secretary requested concurrence of the House in the following bills, viz: Senate bill No. 18, to amend and re-enact ection 761 of the Revised Statutes, approved March 14, 1870, etc.

sate of M. Dickson, etc. Senate bill No. 46, for the relief of the

University of Louisiana, etc. Senate bill No. 126, to amend and re-enac article 3165 of the Revised Civil Code. Senate bill No. 127, to repeal section 1748 of the Revised Statutes, approved March 14,

rticles 2705, 2706 and 2707 of the Revised Civil Code, etc.

Senate bill No. 130, to amend, and re-enn

1870.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS Mr. Fish presented a memorial from the Chamber of Commerce of the city of New Orleans, asking a repeal of the law creating the office of Public Administrator, or so much thereof as will revive the right of ereditors to administer upon the estate of their deceased debtors, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Todd presented a memorial from the

members of the bar of the city of New Or leans, asking for the passage of an act to preserve and improve a part of the public ecords in and for the parish of Orleans, and

to provide for the same.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciciary together with an accompanying bill. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Ray, from the Committee on Judiciupon Senate bill No. 10, to be entitled an et to purchase five hundred copies each of the Revised Civil Code and the Revised Code of Practice of the State of Louisians edited by Albert Voorhies.

Also, favorably upon Senate bill No. 38. o be entitled an act to authorize Mrs. Louisa Bourgeoir, wife of Thomas Taquira, to nortgage or alienate her dotal property.

Lies over. Also, favorably upon Senate bill No. 101. to be entitled an act to create an nsurance department. Lies over.

Also, favorably upon Senate bill No. 102, to be entitled an act relative to in-Lies over.

To the Honorable President and Members of the The Committee Claims, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 58, for the relief of Adolphe F. Tervalon and Jacques Adolphe, respectfully report that in the opinion of this committee said claim is improperly preferred against the State Claimants are undoubtedly entitled to some relief—the amount of which should be ascertained by a competent tribunal from the parish of Jefferson; and for these reasons we respectfully report unfavorably on said bill.

S. M. THOMAS, Chairman To the Honorable President and Members of th

The undersigned members of the Comittee on Claims, constituting a majority of said committee, respectfully report unfavorably on Senate bill No. 134, for the elief of Simeon Belden, Attorney General of Louisiana, recommend that said bill be rejected, for the reason that said claim is ased upon services not rendered, except constructively.

S. M. THOMAS, Chairman. To the Honorable President and Members of the

The undersigned, members of the Com mittee on Claims, in respect to Senate bill No. 134, for the relief of Simeon Belden, Attorney General of Louisian respectfully submit a minority report.

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the relief proposed in the bill. In sec tion 138 of the revised laws of the State for 1870, it is declared that the Attorney General shall receive five per cont. on all amounts collected by him. "It appears in the case for which Mr. Belden asks relief, that there was a large and power-ful assectation organized and incorporated under the laws of this State, which registed the collection of one per cent tax imposed by the Legislature of 1868; that, under the inlinence of that corporation, the real estate owners of the parish of Orleans resisted the collection of said tax; and t hat thereupon sandry suits were instituted by the Attorney General to enforce the collection of said tax, all of which were resisted by said association as representing the body of real estate owners in sail parish; that for the purpose of saving costs to taxpayers, il judgment should be adverse to it, the Attorney General and the said association agreed to make the case of Henry Frellsen et als. va F. C. Mahan, State Tax Collector, a test case, and that by the ruling and judgment of the court in that case should or fall rll opposition to the collection of said tax. The Senate is familiar with the decision of the courts in that case. The constitutionality of the tax was sustained and all opposition to its collection was abandoned and a large revenue was realized. If the Attorney General had insisted upon his right to multiply the suits for the collection of that tax, as he had both the right and power to do, he would have received the full compensation allowed him by law, without the necessity of any act for his relief. The course of action adopted by the Attorney General saved to the real estate owners of the parish the payment of several hundred thousand dollars in costs. It was the policy of canciliation economical alike to the people and the State, and had it not been adopted the claimant would have received the full compensation he now asks without appealing to the Legislature for relief. For these reasons we report favorably

on said bill, and recommend that it be adopted, with the following amendment: In the ----section strike out the words "sixty-two thousand," and instead thereof insert the words "fifty-two thousand." L. B. JENKS.

JAMES H. INGRAHAM. COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC PRINTING, New Orleans, February 7, 1871.

To the Honorable President and Members of the

Your committee, to whom was delegated the duty of investigating the action of the State Printer, and inquire into the reasons why the printing bill, or "Bill to define the duties and fixing the compensation of the State Printer," was not beturned to the Senate within the time precribed by law, beg leave to report that after investigating the matter we find that the bill in question was received at fourth day of February, as appears from the receipt book of the Secretary of the Senate; and that the said bill is now February 7, returned to the Senate, one day less than the time prescribed by law, leaving out one day for Sunday, February 5; and we also find, upon investigation that all bills forwarded to the State

L. B. JENKS, Chairman. Mr. Blackman, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, reported favorably upon Senate bill No. 59, to be entitled an act relative to the liabilities of deposit-. Of Lies over tel moon riderovet and

Printer have been returned within the

time required by law. For the committee.

Mr. Syphor, from the committee on Drainage, Canal and Inland Navigation. reported an original bill, to be entitled an act to provide for the cleaning out of bayous Portage, Mayers and Yonkely and connecting the same by a canal, for the purpose of draining large portions of the parish of St. Mary, and protecting the same from overflow, ask State aid there-

Reported by order of the Committee on Canals, Drainage and Inland Naviga-

By unanimous consent, the bill passed its

first reading.

The constitutional rule was then suspend ed by a four-fifths affirmative vote, the bill put on its second reading, and ordered

Also, reported favorably upon tion No. 7, relative to Bayou Chighy and the district between the Lafourcho and the Mississippi.

Milies over. Also, reported favorably upon Senate bill No. 143, to be entitled an act to improve the navigation of Bed river, and to protect the own of Alexandria from inundation; and to appropriate twenty thousand dollars for

NOTICES OF BULL By Mr. Campbell:

Of a bill to be entitled an act to declare ille al certain entries of public lands, and

Of a bill to be entitled an act to further define the liabilities of the corporation and parishes within the Metropolian Police Diffrict of New Orleans, State of Louisiana,

In our opnion Mr. Belden is entitled to and to make the warrants, checks, or orders sued by said board receivable for lice xes and other dues: 1 22 22 Hist stand Of a bill to be entitled an agt to amend a act entitled an act to organize, arm and quip a uniform militia; to provide for it, struction, duties, and government, etc. o make further provisions for State militia.

By Mr. Todd;

Of a bill to be entitled an act for the re ief of L. Surge. Of a bill to be entitled an act to author ze the purchase of books, maps, and chart for use in the State Library, and at

By Mr. Bowman Of a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time of holding the terms of the Twelfth District Court in the parish of Union.

By Mr. Butler: Of a bill to be entitled an act to incorpo ate the Metropolitan Drainage Company o provide for sewering and draining the city of New Orleans and Carrollton; to provide

the means to defray the expense thereof and to repeal portions of act No. 4, approved March 16, 1870, authorizing the drainage to be executed by the New Orleans and Ship Island Canal Company.

By Mr. Ray:
Of a bill to be entitled an act relative t Giffon's Louisiana Justice and Constabl By Mr. Swords:

Of a bill to be entitled an act to incor porate the town of Napoleonville, in the parish of Assumption.

By Mr. Hunsaker: Of a bill to be entitled an act to estab

sh the Seventeenth Judicial District. By Mr Ingraham: 25 xosti W

Of a bill to be entitled an act to amend the fifty-seventh section of an act entitled 'An act to provide a revenue; to levy and collect taxes; to grant and collect Lynch, Noland, O'Hara, Pierce, Ragan icenses; to provide for the creation, appointment and removal of revenue offiers and to define their duties; to punish ertain crimes and misdemeanors, and to create liens and mortgages in favor of the State in certain cases, and to regulate the manner of the payment of moneys from the treasury."

Also, of a bill to be entitled an act re ative to the collections of taxes, licenses and dues imposed by the city of New Oreans and due to the same.

By Mr. Harris: Of a bill to be entitled an act to incor porate the Vidalia, Alexandria and Texas Railroad Company, and to grant State aid thereto.

introductions of Bills. The following bills were introduced by manimous consent, and without previous notice.

A bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Home Insurance Company of New

Orleans. Passed its first reading: The constitutional rule was then sus ended by a four-fifths affirmative vote.

referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Also, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Hope Insurance Company B. Griswold & Co., A. B. Griswold

the bill put on its second reading, and

and Adam Thompson, all of the city of New Orleans. Passed its first reading. The constitutional rule was then suspended by a four-fifths affirmative vote

the bill put upon its second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, By Mr. Kelso: A bill entitled an act to repropriate forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), and to aprove the navigation of Bayou Rapides.

Passed its first reading. The constitutional rule was then suspended by four-fifths affirmative vote, the bill put on its cond reading, and referred to the Committee n Drainage mother

By Mr. Gallup: A bill entitled an act amending and re-ena ing an act entitled "An act relative to swam ands in the parish of St. Mary, now Iberia. approved March 17, 1858, and an act amendator reto, approved February 27, 1860.

Passed its first reading. The constitutional rule was then suspended by four-fifths affirmative vote, the bill put on it econd reading, and referred to the Committee on Drainage, Canals and Inland Navigation, and

rdered printed. By Mr. Todd. A bill to be entitled an act to preserve and improve a part of the public records in and for the arish of Orleans, and to provide for the same Passed its first reading.

The constitutional rule was then suspended by four-fifths affirmative vote, the bill put on its econd reading, and referred to the Con

Mr. Jenks called up, by unanimous conse nate bill No. 95, for the relief of James O

A bill to be entitled an act annexing a portion of the parish of Ascension to the parish of Liv-

Orleans Times.

By Mr. Smith:

asert the words "appointed by the Presiden Lies over the Gevernor to

By Mr. Hunsaker:
A resolution concerning John A Chee R. Beauvais, District Attorney and District Judge of the Fourth Judicial District, and ask ing the appointment of a committee of the Sen-

e, etc. Mr. O'Hara moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution to increase the Committee on Elections to seven was adopted, Mr. Pinchback raised the point of order the

the motion to reconsider could not be entertained inasurach as the members of the committee had been appointed by the Chair, and virtually the purposes of the resolution had been accomplished and ended, and was no longer within reach of the Senate.

The Chair overruled the point of order.

Mr. Blackman called for the order of the day.
Mr. Campbell moved to suspend the order of the day for twenty minutes.

On call of the yeas and mays the order of the day was suspended by the following vote: Yeas: Anderson, Antoine, Barber, Butler

Campbell, Daigle, Futch, Gallup, Harris, Hun saker, Jenks, Lynch, Noland, O'Hara, Pierce Ragan, Swords, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Whit ney, Wilcox—22

Nays: Blackman, Bowmen, Coupland, Fish,
Kelso, Pinchback, Ray, Smith, Thomas, Thomp

Mr. Smith moved to lav the motion t postpone on the table. On a call of the yeas and navs the

Senate refused to lay the motion on the table by the following vote: Yeas: Antoine, Blackman, Coupland

Daigle, Fish Futch, Gallup, Kelso Pinchback, Ray, Smith, Thomas, Thompson-12. Nays: Anderson, Barber, Butler, Camp. bell, Gallup, Harris, Hunsaker, Jenks

Swords, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Whitney, Wilcox-19. Mr. Campbell called for the previous

question on the motion to reconsider. The main question was ordered, and on call of the year and nays the motion to reconsider was adopted by the following

bell, Gallup, Harris, Hunsaker, Jenks Lynch, Noland, O'Hara, Pierce, Ragan, Swords, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Whitney, Wilcox 20. Nays: Antoine, Blackman, Coupland,

Daigle, Fish, Futch, Kelso, Pinchback Ray, Smlth, Thomas, Thompson-12. Mr. Campbell moved that the resolu tion now reconsidered be laid on the ta-

Mr. Pinchback called for an executive session, which was duly seconded. The President ordered the lobbies to be cleared.

The executive session having been raised. Mr. Cambbell called for the previous question on his motion to lay the resolution then reconsidered on the table. Main question was ordered, and on call of the yeas and nays the resolution was

laid on the table by the following vote: Yeas: Anderson, Barber, Blackman, Bowman, Butler, Campbell, Daigle, Gallup, Harris, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Jenks, Lynch, Noland, O'Hara, Pierce, Ragan Swords, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Wilcox-22.

Nays: Antoine, Coupland, Fish, Futch, Kelso, Pinchback, Ray, Smith, Thomas Thompson-10.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

The unfinished business of yesterday was taken up, it being the substitute for Senate bill No. 33, to be entitled an act reorganizing the police juries of this State, making the parish judges members and perform the duties of president thereof, prescribing the number thereof, and the mode of election, and fixing the duties and compensation, and making clerks of the district courts in each parish clerks of the police juries, and providing how their compensation shall be fixed hear'l adt sadt has ; no

Mr. Lynch offered the following amendment to section first of the bill:

Strike out of line five the words "on the first Monday of May next," and insert the words "there shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, three police jurors, who shall hold their offices until the next general election and until their successors are duly elected and qualified.

Pending the consideration of said mendment, Mr. Anderson moved to recommit the bill, with the amendment proposed by Mr. Lynch, to the Committee on Judiciary. Mr. Ray moved to lay the motion on

he table On a call of the yeas and navs, the Senate refused to lay the motion to re-

commit on the table by the following Yeas: Antoine, Blackman, Hunsaker, Kelso, Lynch, Neland, O'Hara Pinchback, Pierce, Ragan, Ray, Swords,

Twitchell-13. Nays: Auderson, Barber, Bowman Butler, Campbell, Coupland, Daigle, Fish, Futch, Gallup, Herwig, Ingraham, Smith, Sypher, Thomas, Thompson, Todd, Whitney, Wilcox-19.

The question then recurred on the On a call of the yeas and navs, the motion to recommit was adopted by the

allowing vote: I same I nomines A to - Yeas: Anderson, Berbert Blackman, Bowman, Butler Coupland, Daigle, Fish Futch, Gallup, Herwig, Ingraham, Kelso Pinchback, Phomas, Thompson, Todd, Kenner, of Orleans; H. Rask eventida HNays: Antoine, Campbell, Hunsaker,

Lynch, Noland, O'Hara, Pierce, Ragan, Ray, Swords, Twitchell, Wilcox-12 Senate bill No. 104, it being a bill to unend the registration law, was called telian, of Varaillion; Henry J. Hrasqu

Mr. Hunsaker moved that Senate bill No. 104 be fixed for the special order for Monday next, at one o'clock. On a call of the yeas and nays the Senate refused to postpone the bill till

Monday by the following wote theread Yeas : Campbell Gallup Hunsaker Janks, Lynch, Noland, Pierce, Ragan, Swords, Sypher, Todd, Twitchell, Wilon 1.13. o . Leastword W. W. placed debrie

Nays : Antoine, Barber, Blackman Bowman, Butler, Coupland, Daigle, Fish, Futch, Herwig Ingraham, O'Hara, Pinck back, Ray, Smith, Thomas, Thompson recoffee Mertin: H. Lett. of Roll

Mr. Pinchback moved to make the Senate bill No. 104 the special order for to-morrow at one o'clock. Adopted our stdeen

Mr. Futch called up substitute for Senate bill No. 31, to be entitled an act providing for the improvement of the navigation of Bayous d'Arbonne and Cornie, and making an appropriation therefor.

After a typographical error was corrected, Mr. Futch moved the bill be considered engrossed and Mr. Todd moved to postpone the bil

one week.

On call of the yeas and nays, the Senate refused to postpone the following

Yeas : Barber, Campbell, Coupland, Fish, Herwig, Ingraham, Jenks, Lynch, Pierce, Ragan, Todd, Twitchell, Whitney, Wilcox—14.
Nays: Anderson, Antoine, Blackman Bowman, Butler, Futch, Gallup, Kelso Lewis, Noland, Pinchhack, Ray, Smith Swords, Sypher, Thomas, Thompson-

Mr. Told moved to adjourn ; vans Mr. Pinchback raised the point of or der that Mr. Todd was not in his seat, and under the rules the Chair could not en tertain the motion to adjourn.

The Chair decided the point well Mr. Pinchback then called for the previous question on the motion to reconsider the bill engrossed 11) 1 ; and to

The main question was ordered, and the bill, considered engrossed Mr. Todd moved to adjourn.

Adopted. The President then announced that the Senate stood adjourned until the eight instant, at twelve o'clock M. CHARLES H. MERRITT,

Thirty-second Day's Session.

SENATE CHAMBER, Wednesday, February 3, 1871. The Senate met pursuant to adjourn

Present: Hon. O. J. Dunn, Lieuten ant Governor and President of the Senate ; and Messrs. Anderson, Antoine, Barber, Blackman, Bowman, Butler, Campbell, Coupland, Daigle, Fish, Futch, Gallup, Harris, Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Jenks, Kelso, Lewis, Lynch, Noland, O'Hara, Pierce, Pinchback, Ragan, Ray, Smith, Swords, Sypher, Thomas, Thompson, Todd, Twitchell, Whitney, Wilcox-35.

Prayer by the Chaplain. Reading of the minutes of the previous dry's session dispensed with.

No corrections. MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE House of Representatives, Office of Chief Clerk. New Orleans, February 7, 1871. To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the

Gentlemen—I am directed by the House to ask the concurrence of the Senate in the following :

House bill No. 34, joint resolution titioning Congress to devise some plan by which a common school education may be generally extended to the youth PROCEEDINGS STATE Detical and to House bill No. 86, an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled "an act to regulate public education in the State of Louisiana, and city of New Orleans, and to raise a revenue for that purpose," arproved March 16, 1870.

WILLIAM VIGERS:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Campbell, from the Committee on Railroads, reported favorably on Senate bill No. 152, to be entitled an act to incorporate the Alexandria, Homer and Fulton Railroad Company, and to grant T. Gerber, State aid thereto. Lies over.

Mr. Fish, from the committee composed of the city delegation, returned F. Durond, of with u action Senate bill No. 142, to be W. C. Kirkland, entitled in act to provide for the inspec- Jake Bell,

tion of coal and wood for the city of New Orleans, and to provide for the appoint John Wheelwright, N. Noesse ment of an inspector thereof, and submitted the following are portious od T

COMMITTEE ON CITY DELEGITION New Orleans, January 8, 1871. To the Honorable President and Mombess of

Your committee beg leave to repor avorably on bill No. 137, entitled an act to amend an act entitled "an act to ex-tend the limits of the parish of Orleans," with the following amendment:

Section sixteen, line thirty-four, strike out "one" and insert "two." namo STEPHEN S. FISH. E.W. PIERCE, ed de P. F. HERWIG. P. B. S. PINCHBACK.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS. Mr. Smith presented a memorial from Louis Tregre, of the parish of St. John he Beptist, relative to stopping cre vasses and preventing their getting lar-

Mr. Todd, submitted a petition from the citizens of the city of Carrollton, protesting against the annexation of their corporation to the city and parish of Oreans, and moved the same be printed in

On a call for the year and nays, the etition was ordered printed by the folowing vote; notgoid

Yeas: Anderson, Barber, Butler Campbell, Fish, Futch, Harris, Herwig, Hunsaker, Ingraham, Jenks, Kelso O'Hara, Pinchback, Ragan, Smith, Thomp son, Todd-18.

Nays: Antoine, Blackman, Bowman Daigle, Gallup, Lynch, Noland, Pierce Ray, Swords, Sypher, Thomas, Wilcon

The following is a copy of the pet To the Honorable President and Members of th

We, the undersigned, citizens of the corporation of the city of Carrollton, oarish of Jefferson, Louisiana, and five hundred others whose names will be farnished, do hereby most solemnly pro-test against the contemplated action of the Legislature to annex this corporation to the city and parish of Orleans, and we hereby declare that we are positively opposed to said annexation, and do most earnestly pray your honorable body to discountenance the said proceeding, to which we are opposed for the following lell No. 107, an act : encener

First We are opposed to the plan of annexation because certain interested parties, who are advocating this measure, have other objects in view, such as the erection of immense waterworks in this locality thereby augmenting the public debt and consequent increase of taxation to such an extent las would virtually amount to a confiscation of our proper-

Second-Becauce the population of this suburban district is almost exclusive ly composed of spoor, hard-working people, white and colored, who, from their scanty earnings, have hoarded sufficient means to purchase small home steads for themselves and families, and that this unexpected and overwhelming increase of taxation must work their complete and utter ruin.

Third-That the city of Carrollton is the only corporate body in the State which is entirely free from debt; the as sets of said city amounting to sixty-five thousand dollars, while her liabilities or outstanding indebtedness only amount to some twenty thousand dollars; and the warrants of the city of Carrollton are now worth ninety-five cents, while those of New Orleans are quoted at but eighty cents on the dollar.

Fourth-That the citizens of Carroll ton are now assessed at the rate of but two per cent per annum, while the rate of taxation in New Orleans is from five and a half to my per cent.

Fifth-That owing to the low rate taxation, this corporation has attracted to itself a large though poor population of struggling people, whose sole means consist of their little property and that the immediate result of this annexation will be not only to ruin those who are already here, but also to drive away those who would otherwise settle in our midst. Sixth-That it is the universal opinion, that the benefits to be derived from immediate annexation are by no means commensurate with the burden to be assumed and that we would for a long time to come occupy the unenviable position of dead members attached to the body corporate. Trusting your honorable body will

perceive the justice of our claims and protect as from the threatened enlowity. Your petitioners will ever pray, etc. Lais Tap. Harry Gibbs,

John Johnston George Lutman, Bart Guinn, John H. Gaines, J. H. Meyers, Jr., John Markes, A. Ourbrandt, A Wright

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F. Fisher.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS. The following bills were introdu cording to previous notice: Mr. Campbell introduced a bill titled an act to amend an act entitled to organize, arm and equip a uniform tin; to provide for its instruction, dis and government, etc., and to make int

provisions for State militia. Passed its first reading. The constitutional rule was then say and by a four-fifths affirmative vote, the put on its second reading and referred the Committee on Militia.

Also, A bill to be entitled an act to ther define the habilities of the corporate District of New Orleans, State of Louis and to make the warrants, checks, or of ssued by said board receivable for lies faxes and other dues.

Passed its first reading. tee on Finance. By Mil Harris and nA bill to be ontitled an act to in

the Vidalia, Alexandria and Texas I Company, and to grant State aid there Passed its first reading. The constitutional rule ed by a four-fifths affirmative vote, out on its second

he Committee on Railroads. By Mr. Ingraham: I A bill to be entitled an act to fifty-seventh section of an act entitle act to provide a revenue; to levy and taxes; to grant and collect licenses; to vide for the creation, appointment moval of revenue officers and to define duties; to punish certain crimes and n favor of the State in

moneys from the treasury." [Continued in our west Number]